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June voting on auto test, convention center

By BILL WINTER
of the Press-Record

Efforts to require auto exhaust testing here and in the Chicago area have continued to encounter a bumpy road at Springfield, where the 1984 Illinois legislative session's final month will begin tomorrow. But the idea of a Downstate convention center in Collinsville—partly offsetting local financial support of the 1992 Chicago World's Fair—is encountering an unexpectedly smooth path so far.

CAR EMISSION testing may still pass, in an attempt to avoid a cutoff of federal highway construction and repair funds. But the Illinois Senate delayed the test bill's progress last week, returning it to a committee for more study.

William Ruckelshaus, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency director, may journey from Washington to Springfield in June to urge passage as a way of reducing exhaust fumes and improving overall air quality.

Before sidetracking the testing bill, senators added DuPage County to its original list of Cook, Lake, Madison and St. Clair counties. Sen. Dawn Clark Latsch of Chicago urged quick passage "not only because of the \$100 million hammer" being wielded by the U.S.

"WE ARE STRANGLING on polluted air," she told fellow senators, "and autos are the No. 1 source of air pollution in metropolitan areas."

Sen. Frank Watson, who wants to exempt such areas as Collinsville and Edwardsville, was one of those voting to send the exhaust test proposal back to the Transportation Committee.

The East-West Gateway Coordinating Council voted yesterday to urge that the entire metropolitan area be included in exhaust testing.

Authorization for state financial assistance to a Collinsville convention center was added last week to a Senate bill.

SEN. WATSON included the funding as an amendment to another bill after the House had approved and sent to the Senate separate legislation creating a center.

Collinsville Mayor Gene Brombolch has estimated that the Route 157 project would cost \$5 million, of which \$1.8 million might be funded by the state.

Encouragement of tourism is a goal of the Illinois government, and backers say the center could attract additional visitors to Madison County.

A 49-4 Senate vote yesterday budgeting \$380 million for the Illinois Corrections Department banned funding for any new prisons in Madison and St. Clair counties.

In a related move opposing an East St. Louis minimum-security prison proposal, the House Executive Committee voted 15-1 to seek a study of the impact of such a prison.

The East St. Louis mayor has

sought the new facility, which would have a \$2 million yearly payroll, but the township supervisor is opposing it.

SENATORS ENACTED late last week 14 bills prepared from the recommendations of a 120-member Hazardous Waste Task Force.

The program would levy a tax on those who generate hazardous waste. It would delay any new deep-well injection sites, and would provide for state inspection of hazardous materials awaiting shipment by rail.

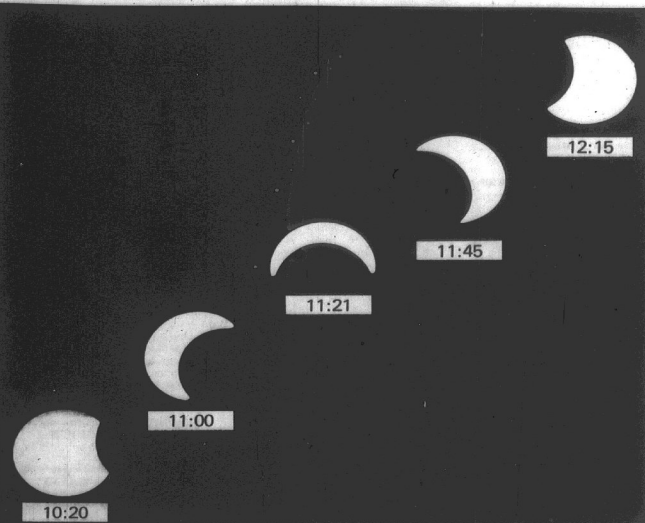
The Illinois Senate approved 50-4 a \$3,500 annual pay bonus by the state for circuit court clerks, recognizing their increased duties. An example of extra work is that the state now requires them to collect fees for domestic violence shelter programs.

MADISON COUNTY Circuit Clerk Willard V. Portell would receive \$34,965 instead of \$31,465. Two years ago, similar reasoning led to passage of a state-paid bonus for county clerks.

State representatives last week voted 87-21 to require cities like Granite City and Alton to obtain referendum approval in both the home township and adjacent township before annexing commercial or industrial property.

Rural townships have complained that their real estate tax base has been raided by city-townships as the municipalities grew. Opponents of the House-passed bill say it has

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CROSSING PATHS. This composite photo shows the various stages of Wednesday's annular eclipse as seen from this area. The sun (white disk) moves across the morning sky, from lower left to upper right, as the moon (black disk) comes between it and the earth, crossing from right to left. At maximum coverage, center, the moon blocked about 70 percent of the sun, causing an eerie dimming of the sunlight and a slight cooling of the outdoor temperature by about 3 degrees.

(Press-Record Photos by Patrick Foley)

Venice names new police officers, Langston retires

By VALERIE EVENDEN
of the Press-Record

Gary R. Wallace, 33, and Shirrell D. Mosby, 22, were appointed probationary patrolmen by the Venice City Council at its meeting Tuesday night.

The aldermen also accepted a letter of resignation from Police Sergeant Mervyn Langston, a veteran of 24 years with the Venice Police Department. The officer currently is on leave and the effective date of his retirement is June 18, the letter noted.

WALLACE, a volunteer firefighter in Venice for more than 10 years, and Mosby, a member of the National Guard who completed

Military Police School, were on an eligibility list compiled after a March 30 police examination.

Fourteen persons took the test for the position of probationary patrolman and five passed. Mayor Tyrone Echols announced at an earlier meeting.

Expenses for accommodation, food and registration fees were authorized for both new officers to attend the mandatory Police Firearms Training School at Pontiac, Ill.

SPONSORED BY the Illinois Law and Justice Commission, the training program will be conducted by the Livingston County Sheriff's Department in Pontiac. The 24-hour

course begins today and continues through Sunday.

"The men will complete the training by Sunday and be on the street by Monday," the mayor announced.

The new probationary officers also will be required to take the Basic Law Enforcement course when class space is available, it was learned.

WALLACE AND Mosby's salaries for a six-month period may be reimbursed to the city through the U.S. Department of Labor's Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA).

At least one and possibly both men appear to be eligible under the JTPA mandates, the mayor said, noting

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New approach to county's investigation

How much fire is there in all the smoke over Madison County assessment practices? A new approach to the question was planned, and it may begin yielding a few answers this summer.

Special Prosecutor Bruce D. Locher of Springfield plans to start with a clean slate by reviewing reports from the investigation and by interviewing the governmental agents who did the investigating.

A new special grand jury was impaneled this week and may begin meeting in early July after Locher completes preliminary tasks in June. He and the jurors were sworn in on Tuesday at the Madison County Courthouse.

The previous jury officially went out of existence with the impaneling, having taken no

specific action on the accumulated testimony and evidence.

It was decided to disband that jury after both State's Attorney Don Weber and Attorney Keith Jensen were removed from leadership roles in the assessment probe.

It has not been divulged how much of the investigative work was carried out by local, state or federal agencies. Some FBI involvement has been indicated.

Weber was and is a critic of county-level policies regarding real estate assessments. A lone Republican in a Courthouse sea of Democrats, he has contended there may be excessive political influence.

A bit of maneuvering, political

or otherwise, occurred during the struggle over who would control the investigation. Jensen claimed Weber was trying to manipulate the timing of any indictments, for maximum political benefit. Weber said Jensen was seeking to usurp the state's attorney's authority without ever having been elected to the office.

Jensen is no longer an assistant state's attorney and no longer a special prosecutor.

Weber is still state's attorney, at least through this fall, having been elected to a four-year term in November 1980.

But he is not personally handling prosecution chores while he fights official misconduct charges against him related to conversations with Jensen.

Scam is thwarted

Madison police officials were unable to charge two Brooklyn residents with felony theft after the victim refused to sign a theft complaint yesterday.

The two Brooklyn residents attempted to close out a \$21,632 passbook savings account yesterday at the First National Bank in Madison. An elderly couple from Brooklyn, co-owners of the passbook, told police after the incident that they did not know the book was missing and that they did not wish to press charges.

THE TWO subjects had arrived at the bank's drive-up window about 9:15 Wednesday morning. One of the subjects presented the passbook and told the teller he wished to close out his account.

According to police reports, the teller told the subject she could not close out the account because of the large amount that was to be withdrawn and because she did not know the individual to be the owner of the account. She returned the passbook to the subjects.

After the men drove through, the teller informed James Foley, auditor of the bank, and told him what had happened. Minutes later, one of the subjects came into the bank and tried to close out the ac-

count again. This time the teller relayed the incident to Walter Blumfeld, vice-president of the bank, who knows the account owners personally.

BANK OFFICIALS tried to contact the owner, but were unable to, so they called the Brooklyn Police Department. Brooklyn Police Chief Douglas told bank officials that he knew the individual trying to close out the account and that he allegedly was a known thief.

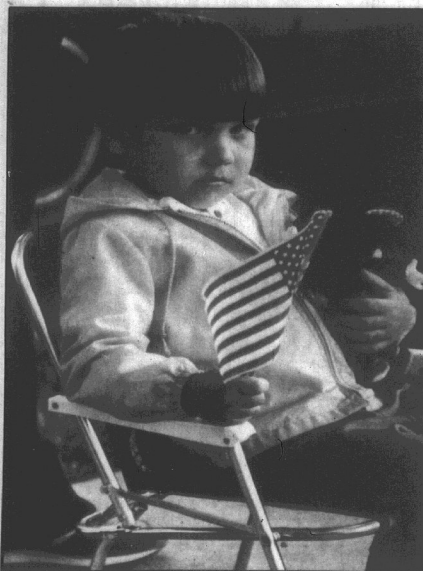
Bank officials detained the man for a while, but he got away when he was given permission to use a restroom.

At 9:31 a.m., Foley drove to the Madison Police Station and reported the incident. Three minutes later, the subject was spotted in the 1200 block of Collinsville Avenue and was apprehended by Madison Police Chief Don Brudick.

THE MAN WAS then taken back to the bank, where he was identified by three bank employees.

The 17-year-old youth was then placed into custody but was released later in the day when the victim refused to prosecute. The other youth, an 18-year-old, was also picked up by police, but was not charged.

The passbook was returned to the couple by Madison Police.



YOUNG PATRIOT. Four-year-old Jeffrey Madrusic, proudly displays a small U.S. flag as he clutches a stuffed animal Wednesday night at the traditional Memorial Day services in Madison. Amvets Post 204 sponsored the annual event on the lawn of the Madison Memorial Center. The youngster is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Madrusic of Granite City.

(Press-Record Photo by Patrick Foley)

SIUE officers bring deer into the world

Two police officers at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville were confronted with an unusual opportunity to use their emergency medical training Tuesday night. Officers John F. Oltmann and Gene W. Morgan delivered a baby deer after its mother was killed in a collision with an automobile on South University Drive.

The fawn, which was taken to the offices of Dr. Joseph B. Helms, an Edwardsville veterinarian, was reported in good condition and "doing fine" Wednesday morning. Dr. Helms said the young deer was being fed every four hours and would be turned over to the Illinois Department of Conservation when it is able

to survive on its own.

THE OFFICERS, both of whom are certified EMTs (Emergency Medical Technicians), responded at 11 p.m. when Laurie Watkins of Belleville reported to the University Police at SIUE that her automobile had collided with a deer as she was driving through the campus enroute from her job as community relations director at St. Anthony's Hospital in Alton.

The officers found the deer beside University Drive, about an eighth-mile north of Bluff Road. It apparently had been killed by the impact. The officers observed that the deer's mid-section had been torn

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MHS picks cage coach

Rodney Watson, two-year basketball coach at Coulterville High School and 1983 graduate of Eastern Illinois University, Charleston, has been hired as the new basketball coach at Madison High School.

The Madison Board of Education chose Watson from among more than 50 candidates who applied for the position. The 24-year-old will fill the opening left when coach Larry

Graham accepted the head coaching job at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

During this year's season, Watson guided his team to a 23-6 record and to victory in the Pickneyville Regional. His team lost to Madison, 59-49 on Jan. 24.

Further details are in today's sports section.

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weather

Sunny today with a high in the low 80s. Fair tonight with a low in the upper 50s. Mostly sunny and warmer Friday with a high in the mid to upper 60s. Partly cloudy Saturday through Monday with a few periods of scattered showers and near normal temperatures. Highs in the upper 70s to mid 80s and lows in the upper 50s to low 60s.

deaths

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Edward Boyd
Clarence Langston
Rev. John Milmiltz
Nora Wood

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Painting class slated

A painting class has been added to the summer schedule at Granite City Center of Belleville Area College. Students do not need to have any previous art experience to enroll.

The eight-week class will meet from 8:15 to 11:30 a.m. Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays beginning Monday, June 4.

STUDENTS MAY register for the class by calling 931-0600 or by going to the center at 4950 Maryville Road. Registrations will be taken from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Mondays through Fridays and from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Fridays.

There will be no registrations Saturdays, Sundays or holidays.

TRESPASSING AT SCHOOL

A boy, 16, was arrested for trespassing and disorderly conduct last week at Granite City High School. The suspended student, barred from the school, allegedly tried to disrupt a study hall class. He fled and was caught at Coolidge Junior High School by monitors.



SALUATORIAN. Kimberly Renee Goes, daughter of Leonard and Mary Goes of 2036 Hildebrand St., Madison, was named saluatorian of the Madison High School graduating senior class. Miss Goes compiled a 3.35 grade point average while attending Madison High School.



VALEDICTORIAN. Susan Marie Mainridge, daughter of Carl and Shirley Mainridge of 2114 Troy Ave., Madison, has been selected as the valedictorian of the Madison High School graduating senior class. Miss Mainridge was selected on the basis of her 3.9 grade point average.

100 graduate from Madison High

One hundred Madison High School students graduated in ceremonies Friday evening in the MHS gymnasium, with talks given by Susan Marie Mainridge, valedictorian, and Kimberly Renee Goes, saluatorian. The 1984 senior class was presented by Principal Daniel S. Kostelny at commencement remarks by Madison District 12 Superintendent of Schools John L. Palchiff.

Diplomas were presented to the graduates by Paul Bargiel, president of the Madison Board of Education, assisted by Secretary-Treasurer Frank Eaves and Members Billie J. Bosworth, Edward J. Dohal, Don E. Garrett, James Newsome and Edmund Warhol.

Class President Shawn Andre Brown welcomed the gathering, and award recipients were recognized by the principal.

John Erik Nelson Jr. and Stephanie Ann Walker sang a duet, "It's So Hard to Say Goodbye to Yesterday," accompanied by the

Rev. Reginald Fields. The Rev. Gene Hooker offered the invocation and the Rev. Solomon Griggs gave the benediction.

Madison High School band members played for the seniors' procession and recessional.

Class colors were green and white, and the class flower was a red rose. The motto was "Happiness is not perfected until it is shared."

Members of the class of 1984 receiving diplomas were:

Ellen LaVette Andrews, Dorian Arnold, David Baker, Todd Douglas Baker, Tony Baker, Cathy Renee Ball.

Regina Banks, Katherine Anne Bargiel, Avery Darnell Blockton, Yolanda Monique Boyd, Yolanda A. Bradley, Paula Rena Brown, Shawn Andre Brown.

Yvette Marie Brown, Amanda Jo Burns, Robert B. Burris, Jerry C. Bush, Gary A. Campbell, Tasha Lintier Carter, Audrey Chambers, Michael Wayne Chatman, Charice Michelle Collins.

Delander C. Crochrell, Theopolis J. Crowder, Angellette Dandridge, Judy Diane Davenport, Sherri Ann Dew.

Barbara J. Dunnavan, Sheri Lenette Edwards, Alicia D. Fuller, Kimberly Renee Goes, Kathleen Goff, Catherine Ann Gordon, Tina Marie Goskie.

Rosevelt K. Gregory, LaRonda Marie Griggs, Charles G. Harper, Robyn Darnette Harris, Abigail Joyce Heard, Sheri Kathleen Hill, Santos D. Howard, Freddie Eugene Hughes.

John Ivan Jackson, Andrew Jones, Felicia Jones, Diana Fay Kemp, Debra Lynn Krauskopf, Lefroy Latham, Alvin Laws.

April Ray Leonard, George W. Leonard III, Thomas Eugene London, Tyrone Keith Madgett, Susan Marie Mainridge, Tammy Jo Miller.

Sonja Maria McHenry, Theresa Lee Neal, Tina Sue Neal, John Erik Nelson Jr.

James Derrick Newsome, Christopher Paul Noud, Patricia Lynn Petrosky, Laura Lee Piechowski, Lori Ann Prothro, Cynthia Ann Radcliff, Dion Randolph.

Zemry Ransom, John Reed, Dickie Lee Riley, Brida Marie Schneidde, Kelly R. Scrump, Melissa P. Scrump, Angela Renee Shipp.

Sonya Carlette Shirden, Kevin D. Sipes, Cynthia Diane Smith, Frederick A. Smith, James Robert Smith, Johnnie Smith Jr.

Leona Dorcell Smith, Lisa Lynn Stanley, Gayla Stone, Lowell Tom-

my Taylor, Carol Lynn Terrell, Victor Aaron Valentine Jr.

John VerStraten, Lamont Richard Walker, Stephanie Ann Walker, Tracy Lynn Warfield, Warren Whitehead, Jack Willman, Cedric Donald Wilson.

Patrick Lamel Wilson, Hope Elizabeth Winklemeyer, Deneen Wray, Wanda P. Wray, Dana Wright, Michael Fitzgerald Young, Kathryn Ann Zabotka and Carol Ann Zarr.

Graduating members of the National Honor Society, in addition to the valedictorian and saluatorian, were Sheri Lenette Edwards, Catherine Anne Gordon, Charles G. Harper, Diana Fay Kemp, Christopher Paul Noud, Victor Aaron Valentine Jr., Stephanie Ann Walker, Michael Fitzgerald Young, Kathryn Ann Zabotka and Carol Ann Zarr.

BOOK DRIVER ON DUI, LANE USAGE
William E. Cane, 29, of 2145 Dawn Ave., was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol, illegal transportation of alcohol and improper lane usage when arrested early this week.

Cane's auto, heading north on Madison Avenue, was halted in the 2800 block when a police sergeant alleged the vehicle kept moving from lane to lane. An open can of beer allegedly was found on the floorboards.

Another officer reported telling the same man earlier not to drive upon seeing him sleeping in the car in the 2400 block of Lincoln Avenue.

Cane agreed to take a breathalyzer test and was booked. He was released at 12:30 p.m. Monday after posting a \$302 cash bond.

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technical flaws that would make it confusing and hard to implement.

THE HOUSE DECIDED 64-43 that motorists ought to buy liability insurance before getting license plates. They also would have to carry proof of that insurance when they drive.

Permission for auto dealers to do business on Sundays lost 48-57 in the House.

Representatives voted 74-30 to increase the Illinois marriage license fee from \$25 to \$40.

Senators voted 39-15 to prevent pollsters from questioning voters within 100 feet of a polling place. They voiced concern over reduced voter turnout from TV networks' early projections of election results.

HOUSE SPEAKER Michael J. Madigan this week hailed the past weekend's 63-40 House passage of a bill to create a merit selection system for filling judicial vacancies.

"We've been working for years to find a way to reform the system utilized to select judges. This bill is a beginning toward improving the process," he asserted.

Co-sponsored by Madigan, it would create a nominating commission in each judicial district to choose candidates for vacancies on the Supreme Court and Appellate Courts, as well as commissions in all circuits to pick Circuit Court nominees.

COMMISSION APPOINTEES and nominees would have to include women and minorities and would be required to "reflect the diversity of the population in each area," the speaker related.

Each commission would have 11 members, six of them serving six-year terms and elected by members of the bar in their area.

Five would be non-lawyers, named by the governor and the leaders of

both parties in the House and Senate.

MEANWHILE, Gov. James R. Thompson went into "emergency talks" this week on legislative ways to contain health care costs.

He seeks to restore a "cap" on the amount that hospital bills could rise in a particular year.

Among those he conferred with were Robert Gibson, Illinois AFL-CIO president, Al Lerner, Illinois State Medical Society executive director, and Kenneth C. Robbins, Illinois Hospital Association president.

Thompson commented, "The Illinois Senate last week considered far-reaching legislation to contain costs."

AS THE DEBATE demonstrated, no consensus has been achieved on the necessary components or technical details of an approach to solve the cost problem.

Hospitals say it is difficult to limit their costs when their suppliers are not required to limit their prices.

Venice names new

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that among the qualifying conditions for the reimbursement program is to be unemployed for 15 weeks out of a 26-week period.

The Job Training Partnership Act replaced the 10-year-old Comprehensive Employment and Training Act (CETA) last August and provides for the establishment of employment and training services during the period of Oct. 1, 1983, and June 30, 1984.

SERVICES provided through the program include job search assistance, vocational training, on-the-job training, work experience, try-out employment and pre-

They add that third-party payment systems reduce cost-lid incentives, and say some of the pending cost restraints could prevent adequate care.

Proponents of containment say the cost trend in recent years has exceeded inflation. Thompson's view is that the price of health care "must not escalate at a rate beyond society's ability to afford it," even though at present most hospitals are having to subsidize welfare patients.

ON STILL ANOTHER topic, the governor said his administration, including the Department of Law Enforcement (DLE), is supporting legislation to coordinate enforcement groups' efforts in searching for lost, missing or runaway children.

The proposed intergovernmental Missing Child Recovery Act calls for the DLE to help create local I-Search (Illinois State Enforcement Agencies to Recover Children) units.

The state would pay more than half of each I-Search unit's budget.

employment skills training.

The Venice Police Department has been operating short handed for some time, with some officers and dispatchers required to work long hours.

Two weeks ago, a police sergeant remained on duty a total of 24 hours and a police dispatcher for 30 hours, it was learned.

TWO POLICE OFFICERS, Tim Simmons, a 10-year veteran, and Ron Brawley, an officer for 4½ years, left the Venice force earlier this month to join the staff of the Madison County Probation Office.

Another Venice officer retired about two years ago and was not replaced.

Prior to the hiring of Wallace and Mosby, the department had a total of eight men, including Chief Farris Smith, and three dispatchers. According to population figures, a total of 12 or 13 officers is needed to meet full strength requirements, the chief advised.

POLICE PERSONNEL submitted a series of negotiation proposals at the council's last session and several officers were in the audience at Tuesday night's session.

The proposals sought across the board pay increases, establishment of a sick leave policy and requested the hiring of new officers to fill existing vacancies in the department.

On May 15, Mayor Echols said he intended to take a serious look on ways to find funds to provide some type of pay raise to police personnel.

"I BELIEVE we should do what we can," he stated at that time. The proposals were not discussed at this week's meeting, with exception of hiring Wallace and Mosby.

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Knights, residents to meet on zoning issue

Members of the Knights of Columbus and residents from the Norwood Subdivision will meet tonight at 7 o'clock in the mayor's conference room of City Hall, 2000 Edison Ave.

The two groups will discuss problems that have surfaced concerning the rezoning of the former Johnson School to a C-3 community service district. Questions raised about the zone change include drainage, traffic and the selling of liquor.

ALDERMEN Phillip Miller and Sharon Perjak, both of the Fourth Ward, will be present at the meeting.

Miller said yesterday that he feels his motion to defer action on the Knight's zoning at the last council meeting has been misunderstood by his constituents.

"Before I went to the meeting Tuesday, I had already discussed with Sharon (Perjak) a motion to defer action on the zoning, to see if something could be worked out between the two groups," he said. "I had no idea that (Mike) Derantz (grand knight of the Knights of Columbus) was going to speak at the meeting."

"SOME OF MY constituents were

Births
Births recorded at St. Elizabeth Medical Center include:

BOYS
Mr. and Mrs. James Fisk, 244 Sunny Shores, May 29, Stacie Lynn, 6 pounds, 2 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Harolan, Edwardsville, May 30, Melanie Rose, 8 pounds, 4½ ounces.
Mr. and Mrs. William McGraw Jr., 2340 E. 24th St., May 30, Electa Ashlie, 6 pounds, 2 ounces.

BOYS
Mr. and Mrs. William Ashworth, 1309 Madison Ave., Madison, May 20, Randy Lee, 5 pounds, 11 ounces.

Births recorded at Oliver C. Anderson Hospital, Maryville include:

Mr. and Mrs. Edward (Constance) Mickelson, Granite City, boy, May 17.

Mr. and Mrs. James (Barbara) Joyce, Granite City, girl, May 18.
Mr. and Mrs. Daniel (Dennis) Worthen, Granite City, boy, May 22.
Mr. and Mrs. Mark (Kathy) Campbell, Granite City, girl, May 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer (Alice) Hull, Granite City, boy, May 24.

Madison classes throughout June

Summer school will be held in the primary and senior high schools of Madison Community Unit District 12 from June 4 to 29, at 8:30 to 11:30 a.m.

The Blair and Harris primary attendance centers will have kindergarten and grades one, two and three. There is no fee for students in grades K-3.

Madison High School will offer English I and English II. Classes will be held for three hours, 8:30-11:30, each day.

The fee for a high school course is \$30 to \$40 per student, depending on the number of students who enroll, Supt. John L. Falchiff said. He added:

"Parents should note that a student failing an English course cannot move to the next level until that course has been passed. It is impossible for a student to be enrolled in two English courses at any one time."

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Focus on downtown problems

Frequently it is easier to ignore something than to comment on it and anger some people, but some things just drag on too long and should be put in the spotlight.

The sign on the Washington Theater, for instance, just celebrated its six-month birthday. The promotion for last November's boxing card remains on the billboard, a stark reminder that not much has happened there in the last half year.

The building at the corner of 19th Street and Edison Avenue, destroyed by fire the end of March, remains just the way it was a week after the fire, boarded up and with the roof collapsing. We understand there is a great deal of talk about the future of that corner, we just wish some action would be taken.

The infamous corner of 19th and Delmar, subject of much talk and grand ideas of a park, remains the same as it has been for years, complete with the tile floor of the building that stood there until destroyed by fire.

We could learn something from Madison. Seeing

the downtown area decaying, Mayor Mike Sasyk implemented the Alpine remodeling program and sold to many businesses. Several have new fronts on their business buildings. It made a difference.

In Granite City, there is a great deal of talk about downtown revitalization. There has been a great deal of talk for many, many years. Former editor Harry Barnes used to say that anytime there was a hole on the front page, he could write a mail story to fill it. There was always something going on in the planning for a downtown mall. There still is.

Certainly, the grand plans for a mall are a good idea, but will take a great deal of planning, cooperation and financial arranging. In the meantime, there are smaller things that could be done downtown.

It's time to build a fire under those who seem to have given up on downtown. New banners are a start, but a burned out building, a vacant lot on a prime piece of downtown property and similar problems should not be ignored for months and years. They won't go away.

Hate to see a newspaper fold

It is with mixed reactions that we greet the news that the St. Louis Evening News' one-month life ended yesterday. Publisher Jeffrey M. Gluck, who also publishes the Globe-Democrat, admitted he overestimated the desire of the St. Louis populace for an afternoon newspaper.

It is said that the population interested in the late-breaking news in the afternoon would prefer to get it from the 5 o'clock news on television, but we suspect that was part of the reason for the Evening News' demise.

Walter Cronkite said it best when he summarized that the amount of news packed into a half-hour television newscast is roughly equivalent to one and one-half columns of a newspaper.

That means the news in today's Press-Record would take roughly 26 hours to present in a television news format.

On the other hand, Gluck promises to use the money being lost by the Evening News to publish the Globe-Democrat. That is good news. The Globe, pulled quickly out of the ashes under nearly impossible deadlines when it was dumped by its former publishers, is still a growing child.

Closing of the Evening News and transferring its 43 staff members to the Globe-Democrat should help the Globe, which now has a staff of 345 persons.

It also was good news that all of the Evening News employees will have jobs with the Globe-Democrat. The Globe staff will decline by 20 persons by attrition, Gluck says.

It is always sad to see a newspaper fold, but the news is better than when it was announced late last year that the Globe-Democrat was folding. At least St. Louis is still a two-newspaper town, and that is healthy.

Students should be ticketed for jaywalking

To the Editor:
I know the police can't be everywhere at once but, I feel they should try to be at the high school during the lunch hour and at 3 when the kids get out. I have been unlucky enough to be at the bank in Bellemore at 3 when the kids are getting out of school, if you are on Myrtle and trying to make a left hand turn onto Madison Avenue you have to sit through two or three lights before you can go.

I was on Myrtle, Friday and I saw these kids walk against the light. Two girls walked in front of this car and he had to slam on his brakes to miss them, then they laughed at him.

They go to Mister Donut and do not use the crosswalk. They expect the cars to miss them when they jaywalk and walk against the "do not walk" sign.

The stoplight was put there at the taxpayers' expense, but these high school kids can't read or don't care to read the sign when it says "do not walk."

If the police would get off the side roads, and get to work giving these

kids tickets for jaywalking, they might stop.

What happens to us if we should hit a kid? We are the ones to get in trouble, even if we are in the right and this kid runs in front of our car.

A CONCERNED PARENT

WAS INSPIRED BY THE LEGION'S MEMORIAL DAY

To the Editor:
On Sunday, May 27th, my wife and I attended a Memorial Day Service at the American Legion Home in Venice. The service was, in our opinion, one of the most memorable services we have been privileged to witness.

The lawn of the post home lined with white crosses each with a red poppy and an American Flag was a most perfect setting for the service. A replica of the Tomb of the

Unknown Servicemen and live poppies in full bloom made the scene calm and serene.

Past Commander Howard Foley, Program Chairman Kenneth Hinson and all who participated in the service have our thanks and gratitude for conducting such a notable service to honor our American servicemen and women who have served our great country.

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Feels 'court shopping' is unfair to some

To the Editor:
Most trials are held where a plaintiff or defendant resides, or where the alleged injury took place. In this type of balanced system, both plaintiff and defendant can readily obtain records, witnesses and evidence, and a fair hearing on the issues can be held.

However, some attorneys file cases in a part of the state which has little to do with the case itself. The plaintiff doesn't live there, the defendant doesn't live there, and the alleged injury occurred hundreds of miles away. Why then do they file the lawsuit in such an unlikely place? Because they know the court is likely to award a substantial sum in damages, and their fee is generally a third or more of the award. Also, by inflicting additional expense and hardship on the defendant, the defendant is more likely to offer a settlement rather than go through an expensive trial. This is called "court shopping."

While this may seem fair to some, it is hardly fair to defendants who are finally vindicated and declared innocent by jury. These defendants must spend hundreds, if not thousands, of dollars in defense fees, travel expenses for witnesses, and valuable lost work time. Worse yet, witnesses available for the defense may be located in another state, where the accident occurred, and cannot even be required to attend a trial in Illinois.

Local taxpayers suffer too — a few courts are unfairly clogged with

cases which don't belong there, and local property taxes subsidize the use of public courts for personal enrichment. Ultimately, consumers also foot the bill for unnecessary litigation and unfairly high awards.

Illinois courts have long held a liberal tradition of where a suit may be filed. The rule is liberal enough to allow plaintiffs their choice of a court, as long as it is not done to "vex," "harass," or "oppress" the defendant. In short, the plaintiff may not inflict upon the defendant expense or trouble which is not necessary for a fair hearing.

While court shopping can result in the filing of a case in many areas of the state, some attorneys have recently begun to select areas for certain types of cases and concentrate their filings there. Some cases are filed in Cook County, even though the supposed injury took place elsewhere. Others are filed in Madison County, although the incident involved took place in another county or state. In one recent case decided by the Illinois Supreme Court, the plaintiff, the defendant and the witnesses were all 530 miles away from the case.

Citing the fact that the caseload had recently increased in the Madison County area, the Supreme Court recently noted that a large number of cases were being brought into Madison County, where neither the plaintiff nor the defendant resided. In one case, the plaintiff did not reside there, the defendant did not and the alleged injury took place

elsewhere. The only connection was through financial ownership of the hospital involved; some connection was made through a business agent to another entity located elsewhere near Alton.

The Illinois Supreme Court has made it clear, in three recent separate opinions, that it is fed up with court shopping. In a strongly worded decision to forbid such practices, the Supreme Court recently said, "We have to promote fair play between plaintiffs and defendants and discourage the incessant jockeying for a more sympathetic jury."

Instead of following the law established by the highest court in Illinois, a small group of attorneys is lobbying the legislature to circumvent the court's opinion; they have introduced legislation aimed at undermining the court's opinion. H.B. 1859, sponsored by Rep. Carol Moseley Braun (D-Chicago), which would abolish a defendant's defense to the "inconvenient court" for some types of cases, is being pushed through the legislature this year.

Allowing attorneys leeway to file cases whenever they see fit is contrary to long-standing public policy — it places unreasonable costs on defendants for no reason, creates an additional tax burden and clogs local courts; the Supreme Court's decision ought to stand as the law in Illinois.

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Readers React

The discussion of just what is public domain has risen to the limelight again, most recently with the move of the Baltimore Colts National Football League franchise to Indianapolis, Ind. Persons shopping at Crossroads Plaza recently were asked if they felt the public domain argument applies to professional sports teams. Their reactions follow:

Dave Jarrard, Mitchell

"I'd have to go along with the owners on this one. They're the investors. I think they do have the right to move a team. However, I can also understand how the fans feel."

Mark Thomas, Granite City

"The owners, well, they own the team. They're the ones who have invested the money. It seems to me that they should have their say as to where the team plays. But, too, in many cities, the stadiums run on tax money, so, yes, even the fans have a right to be upset. I guess, I really didn't answer your question did I?"

Jack Jenkins, Granite City

"I think a lot has to do with how well the city supports a team. If a team is well supported by a city, the owner wouldn't have any reason to move the team from that city. I think the people of Baltimore and the people of Oakland (Raiders) didn't support their teams enough."

Pam Bauman, Madison

"As for the public domain of a team, I think they (the owners and the fans) should get the players' feelings about the move. Let them poll the players to see if the team should be moved. The players always seem to be caught up in the middle without any say."

The Forum...

Our readers respond

Name and address must accompany each letter but will not be revealed if anonymity is requested. Communications of less than 250 words will be given preference. All are subject to condensation and grammatical changes. Those libelous or not in good taste will be rejected or edited.

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DR. HOWARD E. KERSHNER
(Editor's note: Dr. Kershner is a professor of economics at Northwood Institute's Houston campus. Previously he was board chairman of Christian Freedom Foundation, Los Angeles, Calif.)

GC Street Department came to the rescue

To the Editor:
You never seem to hear the good things about our street department, always complaints. Here's one that goes beyond the call of duty. A fifth grade student waiting for a school bus Tuesday morning laid her book down near a sewer basin and it slipped in. The child ran home upset — what was she going to tell her

teachers? Her book was gone?

Her mother (me) went to school to explain what had happened. The teachers were very understanding and it just cost to buy another book. I then went to work. Her grandpa proceeded to try and retrieve the book and couldn't, so he called the street department, which was there in just minutes and got the book out with

every thing intact even a test paper that was supposed to be returned to school.

A distressed grandpa and an upset child are grateful for their assistance. The mother is too, as she received her money back on the book.

GRATEFUL MOM

EMPLOYERS PAY FOR UNEMPLOYMENT COVERAGE

An editorial last week praising plans to further computerize the state's unemployment insurance offices erroneously stated that workers who have paid into the unemployment insurance plan for years deserve better treatment when applying for benefits.

Actually, employees pay nothing to the fund. All payments are made by employers. The Press-Record regrets the error.

I suggest non-Catholics honor their ministers on this day also.

BERNICE C. CRIMMIN, Madison

Outstanding GCHS students recognized

Outstanding performance in academic and other pursuits by Granite City High School seniors during the past four years was saluted at the year-end recognition assembly last week.

Co-valedictorians honored at the 1984 awards day were Lisa S. Sheik and Elizabeth E. Trimmer.

Qualifying for Presidential Academic Fitness Awards were Lisa Sheik with a 5,509 grade point average, Elizabeth Trimmer 5,443, Michele Bezan 5,382, James Moad 5,378, Matthew Sheridan 5,376, Robert Sievers 5,375, Christopher King 5,307, Thomas Adamitis 5,295, Paula Johannigmeier 5,195, David Oyen 5,149, Stephen Petrunich 5,007, John Feldman 4,985, Kimberly Grimm 4,985, Steven Elmore 4,941.

Also, Carolyn King 4,914, Cynthia Melton 4,865, Eric Golf 4,846, Elizabeth Jones 4,836, Jeanie Holt 4,832, Michael Sikora 4,808, Rodney Street 4,804, Dana Burovich, 4,730, Wade Hefner 4,631, Randall Markarian 4,554, Eric Gunderson 4,543, Connie Borrer 4,537, Neil Schroeder 4,535, Anita Bodd, and Karen Fuller, 4,511 grade point average.

Jeb Blasingame was installed as the newly-elected student body president for 1984-85. The oath of office was administered by Laura James, retiring president.

Principal Gilbert V. Walmsley presided, and scholarships were awarded by representatives of local

area businesses and organizations.

Highlights of the morning included a procession of the graduating seniors to the front lawn of GCHS for flag ceremonies.

Also featured was a tradition that dates back to 1926: Laura James added a brass link to a chain representing the succession of more than six decades of GCHS classes.

The 1984 class flag was designed by Daryl May and sewn by Lisa Scannell and Lora Wiser. It was hoisted on the school's flagpole as the band played the GCHS "Fight Song."

All those who were designated for Presidential Academic Fitness Awards are members of the National Honor Society.

Other students recognized as National Honor Society members were Raben Andrews, Lori Barnes, Sharon Blankenship, Daria Bolt, Sonia Burt, Dana Burovich, Carol Cooper, Tammy Dallas, Lisa Deleveski, Christine DeRuntz, Robert Dietrich, Tracy Donoff, Aaron Todd Miller, Rebecca Miller, Rebecca Edwards.

Also, Robin Epps, Monica Fanning, William Forrest, George Gordon, Laura Hay, Jeffrey Hoese, Cheryl LaRue, Gregory Levin, Lisa Lilley, David Lipe, Nancy McClew, Karen McCracken, Gloria Millianis, Paul Miskell, Amy Patterson. Also, Timothy Phelps, Lisa Preloger, Cynthia Reber, Lori Richardson, Terry Rujavitz, Robert Shelton, Michelle Sikora, Richard Skubish, Michael Slezcka, Vicki Smith, Laura Smolar, Karla Venorsky, Daniel Whiteside, Michele Zelenka and Michelle Ziegler.

Students recognized for having grade averages of 3.4 (A) or better included Lisa Willaredt. Each of 12 students will receive a principal's trophy for the accomplishment at the June 1 graduation ceremonies.

Service awards went to David Lipe as class president and Laura James as vice president. Lisa Harwell was presented a "110 percent award" for outstanding service.

Seniors recognized for membership on the Student Council were Karla Venorsky, Nancy McClew, David Lipe, Laura James and Lisa Harrell, four years each; Becky Jackson, three years; Melanie Grady, Dana Bolt and Jill Beck, two and a half years; Chris Starnes and Bart Lane, two years; Chris Sindle and Linda Moreland, one and a half years; Dandy McMartin, one year; and Lauri Machino, half year.

The Lawrence C. McCauley Memorial Award went to Curtis Heaton and Jeanie Holt, recognizing good citizenship. McCauley was GCHS principal from 1955 to 1972.

Outstanding business students were Brigitte Kittel, stenography, Janice Camren, bookkeeping, and Jennifer Gaumer, typing.

Among the student award recipients were James Moad, Air Force recognition; Elizabeth Trimmer and Gloria Millianis, Teachers Federation; Faith Holsinger, Junior Service Club; Richard Skubish, Marine Corps; David Oyen and Matt Sheridan, Historical Society; Elizabeth Trimmer, Daughters of the American Revolution; and Robert Sievers, mathematics.

English academic honor, Christopher King; English service award, Elizabeth Trimmer.

Lesche book awards, David Oyen, Steve Elmore and Christopher King; prose writing award, Lisa Sheik; and poetry writing, Chris King.

Science, Elizabeth Trimmer; outstanding social studies student, Steve Elmore; Illinois history writers, Matt Sheridan and David Oyen.

Speech awards, Karen Fuller and Sean McGovern; industrial education achievement, Gerald Hassebrook; and industrial education service, Richard Zabawa. Spanish language award recipients, Anita Rojas and William Forrest.

Art recognition, Randy Feltmeyer, Lloyd Green, Debbie Rutledge and Lisa Willaredt.

Physical education awards, Pam Dubnick and Robert Fickner. Granite High World Newspaper awards, James Dee Fletcher and Maria Vlahon. High World recognition, Chris Bailey, Craig Cavins, Michelle Dennis, Becky Edwards,

John Feldman, Curt Heaton, Jim Hubert, Becky Jackson, Colleen Koseil, Lauri Machino, Dan McCommis, Jeff Metford, Paul Miskell, Julia Piper, Cindy Reber, Dave Williams and Michelle Ziegler.

Quill and Scroll awards, Michelle Ziegler and Julia Piper.

Home economics, Carrie L. Ross, Vocal music Chopin piano award, Pam Dubnick; national school choral award, Lori Richardson.

Yearbook certificates, Patricia Burch, Christine DeRuntz, Lauri Machino, Carolyn Roth, Kimberly Hale, Michelle Garin; Troy Moore, Michelle Sikora, Daryl May, Tim Phelps and Keith Coakley.

Guidance service, Kathy Kopsic and Debbie Mueller, Harvard book award, Glenn Svoboda.

"I Dare You" character and leadership award, Gloria Millianis and Robert Sievers, Josten Foundation award, Todd Miller.

John Philip Sousa award, J. Hong Chang, David Oyen and Elizabeth Trimmer. Band award, Carolyn Butts, Paula Chonister, Dana Churovich, Philip Hagen and Daniel McCommis.

Band service award, Clifton Gassett and Vicki Smith, Drum major award, Daniel McCommis and Elizabeth Trimmer. Band library award, Paula Brown and Rita Ellis.

Pom-pom award, Tammy Dallas and Kimberly Smith. Flag unit award, Karen Moore and Robyn Sicking. And band rifle unit award, J. Lynn Hankins and Carla Niemeyer.



CHOICE OF THE PUBLIC. Rick Jones of Granite City won the Choice of the Public Award during the 10th annual Gateway East Artists' Guild's St. Clair Square Exhibit in Fairview Heights this month. He is shown with his drawing, "No Greater Love." Behind him at the right is the winner of the Grumbacher Award, painted by Betty Lange of Belleville.

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The 100th millionaire is Willard Jaron, a 66-year-old retiree from North Riverside, Ill. He will also receive a specially-made Illinois state license plate reading "HUNDREDTH."

The other two millionaires are: — Salvador Cahue Jr., 35, who works for American Airlines as a ramp crew chief. He and his wife and three children live in Bensenville, Ill.

— Frank Smiesko, 40, of McHenry, Ill., who is married with two children. His winning ticket was the first lotto ticket he ever bought.

Probation and jail for felony property damage
For criminal damage to property valued at more than \$300, John Kramer has been ordered to serve six months in jail and two and a half years on probation, along with paying \$90 in court costs.

Kramer, 19, of No. 7 Jones Park Drive, Pontion Beach, appeared before Circuit Judge P.J. O'Neill at the Madison County Courthouse in Edwardsville this spring.

An original charge of larceny theft, filed March 13, was amended to property damage. A plea was submitted by the defendant May 14.

In an unrelated case, Kramer was one of three accused of an Oct. 1, 1983, burglary of the William Lindsay residence at 22 Jones Park Drive. Items worth \$3,500, including jewelry, speakers, watches and an accordion, were taken but most of the loot was recovered.

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Lafayette Square House Tour set

The 15th annual Lafayette Square House Tour, June 2-3 and June 9-10, will showcase 20 of the historic neighborhood's finest homes. This year's tour, which will run 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day, will allow the general public to see 10 houses never before on tour, 10 which have been on one or more of the preceding 14 tours, and four outstanding gardens.

Cost for the tour is \$4 presale; \$5 the days of tour. Tickets are available at all ticketmaster locations or from the Lafayette Square Restoration Committee, 2023 Lafayette Ave.

The house tour, which last year drew 7,500 people, provides the public with a glimpse of the city's

19th century grandeur wedded to the convenience and style of the '80s by the ingenuity of urban pioneers. Among the many spectacular houses never before on tour are: The oldest house on the square, believed to have been built about 1838. This house, at 2229 Park Ave., features a style of construction used in the early 1800s, and has been carefully and creatively restored. #6 Benton Place, once the Ortwine mansion, later used as a school by Brooks Bible College, and now rehabbed and decorated in a tasteful and blend of '30s, '40s and '50s styles; 1812 Lafayette, which was owned by Phoenix Brewery magnate Christian Stehlin and features a wine

cellar once connected by a tunnel to the brewery at Lafayette and Carondelet Avenues.

Some popular favorites will "reappear" on the 1984 tour: The Jaccard mansion at 1723 Waverly, built in 1874; Horace Bibby's 1877 home at 1532 Mississippi Ave., where Mark Twain reportedly dined; and 1838 Kennett Place, a strikingly restored townhouse with an elevator from the kitchen into the wine cellar below.

Other activities in conjunction with the tour will be a Smithsonian Photographic Exhibition, "Buildings Reborn: New Uses for Old Places," which will be on public view at the Barr Branch Library, 1701 S. Jefferson Ave. Co-sponsored by the Museum of Science and Natural History, this exhibit is free and will be open for viewing during the hours of tour.

On June 2 and June 9, there will be free concerts in Lafayette Park, sponsored by the Lafayette Park Arts Council. On June 2, the popular group, "Spats," will appear; on June 9 the artists will be the St. Louis Jazz Repertory.

Shops and restaurants in Lafayette Square will be open during the tour for the convenience of tour-goers. Most of these businesses are concentrated along Park Avenue at Mississippi; a few are located on Lafayette Avenue.

Lafayette Square was St. Louis' last historic district, and has often served as an example of excellence in restoration and rehabilitation efforts for neighborhoods across the country, a spokesman explained.

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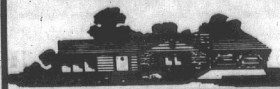
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SEMINAR GRADUATES. Three representatives of Bellinger's Advertising Service, 2676 Madison Ave., attended a two-day sales seminar, Chicago Ad-Venture, held at the O'Hare Exposition Center in Chicago. From left are Joanna Spencer, Harold Bellinger and Florence Bellinger. During the seminar, they attended lecture sessions on "Overcoming Objections" and "Team Building." They also visited display booths of more than 200 advertising specialty suppliers and obtained new ideas available in the specialty industry.

Deadline for comment on state economic plan

Anyone who wants to comment on the state's five-year economic development plan should make their views known by June 1, Department of Commerce and Community Affairs (DCCA) Director Michael T. Woelfer said.

"An initial plan was widely distributed in February, going to nearly 3,000 individuals, groups and businesses. At that time, we asked all interested parties to submit comments so a more specific, regionalized report could be issued in July," Woelfer said.

Many organizations, corporations, planning groups, universities and government representatives have already responded. Some examples of suggestions received are that a greater emphasis be placed on education in economic development efforts, that the state help devise effective ways of containing health care costs and that state resources be focused on solving hazardous waste disposal problems.

"These are welcome comments, and I want to be sure we don't miss anybody who might want to take part in this important long-range planning process. I'm therefore making this second appeal."

The original effort, described by

Gov. James R. Thompson as a working document that will be updated periodically, was prepared jointly by DCCA and the Governor's Office of Planning.

The initial blueprint focused on five areas — building business confidence, strengthening the state's position in national and international markets, ensuring a skilled labor force, developing Illinois' infrastructure and making the most of the state's natural resources.

Woelfer said the updated July report will also include current data on so-called "component" regions of the state, emphasizing unemployment rates, population figures and personal income.

Most who would be likely to comment should have already received a copy of the five-year plan but if not, copies are available by calling or writing the department, attention: Mike Woelfer, 619 E. Adams, Springfield, Ill. 62701, 1-217-785-6248.

BREAK INTO LEASING FIRM, TAKE 2 AUTOS

A burglar romped past screws and a lock securing the front door at RAM Leasing, 1200 Edwardsville Road, and stole ignition keys to a 1977 Plymouth and a 1976 Chrysler Cordoba, which were then driven from the front lot, it was reported by David Sorenson during the weekend.

The Plymouth was recovered later by an officer from the Madison Police Department at Farish Street and McCasland Avenue in Madison, reports said.

SEED BOAT CATCHES FIRE, CAUSE UNKNOWN

A speed boat belonging to Richard Dubray, of 1204 Alton Ave., Madison, ignited last week. Madison police and fire departments were summoned.

Men working on the roof at the residence saw smoke coming from the boat, but were unable to put out the fire. Fire officials noted that there were numerous cigarette butts around the boat.



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News notes

Thomas E. Everhart, 52, Cornell University engineering dean, is to become chancellor of the main campus (Urbana-Champaign) of the University of Illinois Aug. 21.

After U.S. District Judge William L. Beatty ruled last week that three Marion federal prison inmates could be force-fed if fasting during hunger strikes, they were transferred to the U.S. medical center for federal prisoners in Springfield, Mo., and voluntarily ended their hunger strike.

BI-State buses last month carried 176,928 passengers, the most since September 1982.

Three persons will share \$9 million in the Illinois State Lottery 11th game. Each will get a 20-year annuity worth \$3 million; 428 will receive \$1,663 apiece and 24,678 will get \$43 each. It was announced Monday.

Ted L. Ellerman, St. Elizabeth Medical Center executive vice president, will participate in the 1984-85 Leadership St. Louis program of the Coro Foundation.

Margot Klier, a star of the Supermarket movies, was among those who gathered last week in Chicago for a dinner boosting the U.S. Senate candidacy of Cong. Paul Simon, the Democratic nominee opposing Sen. Charles Percy, Republican. She and Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, keynote speaker, said Simon shares their views on nuclear arms control. Those present to back Simon included two of his primary foes, Alex Scott and Roland Burris, plus Chicago's mayor and immediate past mayor and the leaders of various Chicago and Cook County Democratic groups.

Illinois' bargaining law for public employees is being assailed for authorizing county boards to negotiate with the staffs of elected countywide officials, rather than leaving the bargaining to those officials and their employees.

Theron Hogue of Orca Aquarium in Granite City has been fined \$25 and \$25 costs after being accused by the Illinois Agriculture Department of operating a pet shop without a state license.

Robert Gibson, Illinois AFL-CIO president and a former Granite Cityan, was picked along with Margaret Blackmore, of Granite City as an at-large Illinois national Democratic convention delegate pledged to presidential candidate

Truck plate sales begin on June 1

Illinois Secretary of State Jim Edgar has announced that 785 financial institutions in Illinois will begin over-the-counter sales of pickup truck and trailer plates on Friday, June 1.

"License plates with the letters 'B' and 'TA' for fiscal 1984-85 will be available at 485 banks, savings and loan associations and credit unions throughout the state and about 300 currency exchanges in the Chicago area," Edgar said.

"B" plates are for trucks with a gross weight of 8,000 pounds or less, including the vehicle and maximum load. The fee for "B" plates is \$48. "TA" plates are for trailers with a gross weight of 3,000 pounds or less, including the vehicle and maximum load. The fee for "TA" plates is \$14.

All fiscal plates may be purchased at the four motor vehicle facilities in Chicago, the Centennial Building and the Dirksen Parkway drive-up windows in Springfield. Plates also may be ordered by mail from Springfield. Financial institutions selling plates include American Heritage Bank, First Granite City National Bank (2 locations), and Granite City Trust and Savings Bank (2 locations).

SIUE officers bring

(Continued from Page 1)

open by the collision and that the animal was about ready to deliver twins.

One of the twins was dead, but the other fawn was successfully delivered by the officers, who wrapped it in a blanket and took it to the veterinarian.

THE VEHICLE received major damage, but the driver was not injured.

According to University Police, the deer population is increasing on campus and deer are sighted frequently. Several collisions with automobiles have been reported in the past year.

Venice to study Community Development block grants

By VALERIE EVENDEN
of the Press-Record

Venice Mayor Tyrone Echols will attend the Community Development Block Grant workshop from 9 a.m. until noon Monday, June 4, at the Edwardsville Holiday Inn, he informed the Venice aldermen at Tuesday night's city council meeting.

Registration deadline for attending the 1984 workshop is 5 p.m. today, he told the council.

The mayor read a report from Cheryl Jouett, program administrator for Madison County Community Development, who reported the application process for the 10th and 11th year funding of the block grant program is beginning

and will continue over the next couple of months.

Due to significant changes in the program, which originated in 1975, the proposed workshop will concentrate of such issues as eligible areas, eligible projects, economic development and funding for the next two years.

Jouett stressed the importance of each city and township sending a representative to the workshop, Mayor Echols advised.

Some negative action was recorded by the aldermen in response to a request from the Venice Volunteer Fire Department that four men be allowed to attend the 60th annual Illinois Fire College at Champaign-Urbana, June 7 through June 10.

In the written request, only one firefighter, Fred Trebing, was listed as being among those expected to attend.

Third Ward Alderman John Ervin questioned who the other men attending would be.

Upon receiving an apparent unsatisfactory answer from Fire Chief Bill Meehan, who could not immediately give the three remaining names, Ervin made a motion to authorize the expenses of only Trebing.

The motion was seconded by Fourth Ward Alderman Victor Valentini Sr. and passed. Fourth Ward Alderman Charles Haynes voted against the measure and First Ward Alderman Phillip Daniels, a

member of the volunteer fire department, abstained from voting. Second Ward Alderman George Mangiaracino was not present for the vote.

Later in the meeting, Daniels commented to the council that the names of three other men who had planned to go to the fire college were available, but those involved were unsure they could arrange work schedules in order to leave Thursday, June 7, at the time the request was written. He noted the point was essentially mute, as classes do not start until Friday morning, June 8.

"I believe they (the men) wanted to see first if it is OK for them to leave Thursday," he explained.

Mayor Echols commented, "That

is anti-climatic and, at this time, it's beside the point, as the council has voted its feelings."

The council's police and fire committee members were aware of the reasons for not naming the individuals in the request, Daniels responded.

"Well, it's a dead issue now as the council has seen fit to vote its conscience," the mayor countered.

In other action, the aldermen:

Accepted the resignation of Charles Mize as health inspector, a position he has held about two years.

Authorized J. Alan Gardner, Venice city treasurer, to attend the annual Illinois Treasurers' Conference in Danville June 23.

Adopted an amendment to the cable franchise ordinance to include the name, "First Carolina Communications Inc.," which is in partnership with South-Western Cable TV and was omitted in the original ordinance.

Mayor Echols expressed appreciation to First Ward Alderman John Fleiss and Alderman Ervin for efforts in getting the railroad to oil Main Street. "You have made the people there very happy," the mayor said.

First tenant moves into new industrial park

Developers of a new industrial park in the Quad-City area are announcing immediate openings for distribution and warehousing operations within minutes of major interstate highway.

Game Trails Industrial Park, on Route 102 by State Aid Route 35 and Mockingbird Lane, welcomed its

first tenant during the weekend as Metro-East Industrial Supply moved its main operations from 20th and Adams streets to its new office and warehouse on a 7½-acre tract in the Game Trails park.

Thirteen additional sites now are available, each of approximately five acres, and another site has been sold.

still result in an insufficient profit margin for them.

Petitions supporting the Educational Therapy Center have been circulated in East Alton, Edwardsville and Collinsville endorsing the manner in which its sites are operated.

The group may seek again to lease Lake School if it can convince Granite Cityans that a residential and instructional program for boys with learning and behavioral difficulty would create no problems. However, the school system has not ruled out the possibility of trying to sell, rather than rent, Lake to various groups interested in the building.

A contract disagreement between Madison County and sheriff deputies will enter its eighth month tomorrow with no solution in sight. Work has continued, along with informational picketing. Negotiators from the County Board and Operating Engineers Local 520C met late last week with a federal mediator, achieving some progress but no major gain. The county says it cannot afford the cost of health insurance premium increases. Non-emergency personnel could withhold their services from the county government after a state collective bargaining law goes into effect July 1, some persons believe.

WOMAN DRIVER IS HURT AT 20TH AND MADISON Mary Duval, 56, of 2501 State St., suffered an injury at 4:20 p.m. Tuesday when her auto was involved in a collision with another vehicle on Madison Avenue at 20th Street. She was taken by a relative to St. Elizabeth Medical Center for treatment.

Reports said Jeffery F. Pointer, 18, of 2832 Denver St., was driving east on 20th Street when he allegedly went through a traffic light and collided with Mrs. Duval's northbound vehicle.

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Accident results in charge of DUI

Nell B. Walch, 40, of 1726 Cleveland Blvd., was driving south in the 2600 block of Madison Avenue at 3:05 a.m. today when she allegedly struck the rear of a parked auto, belonging to Robert Kraus.

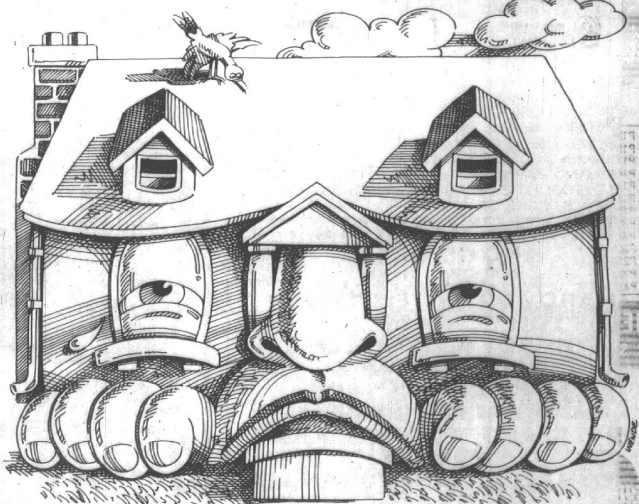
The impact knocked the Kraus car into the front yard at the home of Thomas Rebert, 2015 Madison Ave., where the Walch vehicle also struck a tree in the yard.

The investigating officer learned the driver had left her car and she was taken into custody at 20th Street and Madison Avenue.

Mrs. Walch sustained an injury, but declined medical attention. She also refused to take a breathalyzer test and was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol and with not having a valid registration. It was alleged.

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Force II is available exclusively in the Quad-City area at Novotny Chevrolet. Prices can be obtained by visiting the dealership.



A GOLD NECKLACE is presented to Barbara Bradley for five years of service at Colonial Bank of Granite City. President Don Van Horn makes the formal presentation. Barbara has worked in several areas, including bookkeeping. She currently is in the New Accounts area.

FAILURE TO YIELD IS CHARGED IN AN ACCIDENT

Henry Ferguson, 76, of 203 Hill St., Madison, was charged with failure to yield the right-of-way during the weekend after his car collided with another car at the intersection of Madison Avenue and 22nd Street.

Pamela J. Reedy, 24, of 2918 Sunset Drive, was on Madison Avenue when Ferguson attempted to cross the intersection and the cars collided. No one was injured.

POLICE ISSUE SUMMONS FOR BATTERY TO CHILD
Venice police issued a battery summons last week on Jesse Ruth Mason, 217 Kerr St., Venice, after she allegedly cut a 12-year-old boy's hand with a knife for fighting with her son.

The youths were allegedly playing in Lee Park when they began fighting. Mrs. Mason saw the youths fighting and allegedly wielded the knife.

RETURNS CAR TO DRIVEWAY
Richard L. Bledsoe, 2557 Center St., reported last week that someone took his 1976 Oldsmobile Cutlass from the driveway and returned it with two flat tires.

Quad Club moves to former Sedlack building

After seven years of service to the local community, the Quad Club is closing the doors to its old building (1421 Nineteenth Street) and moving to a larger and better facility.

The Quad Club, which bought the former Sedlack Funeral Home building at 615 Madison Ave., Madison, will celebrate its move and new offerings with an open house from 12:30 to 4 p.m. Saturday, June 2. The group also will conduct a banquet and dance at 7 o'clock that evening.

The group is a non-profit organization that aids recovering alcoholics and chemical dependents through fellowship activities and group meetings. "We extend fellowship by taking members to baseball games,

barbeques, offering social events such as dances and parties, all without the presence of drugs or alcohol," said Bob Dragon, secretary of the Quad Club. "We show them different ways they can enjoy life without chemicals."

The group also offers their facilities to various recovery groups for meeting places. Dragon said organizations meet six nights a week at the old facility and that they hope to expand their services to these groups after the move.

According to Dragon, the Quad Club was chartered in 1976, after about five persons discussed the need for such a service in the Quad-City area. "We realized the people needed something besides treatment

center meetings to help them make the adjustment," he said.

Some of the group's projects include aiding: the Arch House, New Beginning Resale Shop, March of Dimes, Salvation Army, making Christmas baskets for families of recovery groups and conducting sporting activities.

The group also supports prevention programs for teenagers, such as Operation Snowball.

The Quad Club raises money for its projects through barbeques, fish fries, car washes and private donations. The group has no government funding.

Future projects for the Quad Club include establishing a hot line, offering Operation Snowflake scholarships and starting a library with

literature, films, tapes and books.

"We are just one club. This is not a national program," said Dragon. "We're really interested in branching our services out."

Dragon said that, although the club itself does not have a professional counselor, some of the club's 30 volunteers are recovered chemical dependents themselves and are able to offer their experiences to those needing support.

Dragon estimates that about 250 people utilize the Quad Club facilities each year, with as many as 150 persons attending one event.

"We think there is a lot of need out there for the type of service the Quad Club offers," he said. "We want people to know we're here and that we want to help them."

25 divorces granted in area

The marriages of 25 Quad-City area couples have been dissolved by the Third Circuit Court. They are as follows, with the husbands mentioned first:

Michael L. Ireland and Christine Louise Ireland (Carter), both of Granite City; they were married May 25, 1979.

Ronald A. Rinehart and Janette S. Rinehart (Parnley), both of GC; married Jan. 19, 1978.

Raymond Preston Kidwell Jr. of GC and Carrie Colleen Kidwell (Cotter) of Mitchell; Sept. 16, 1983.

Cecil Herbert Morgan of GC and Helen Irene Morgan (Williams) of Horseshoe Bend, Ark.

Keith Wayne Wilson of Alton and Sandra Kay Wilson (Kempfer) of GC; Nov. 18, 1967.

Clarence David Kabat of Madison and Shirley Ann Kabat (Wisniewski) of Nashville, Ill.; April 25, 1970.

Billy J. Ferrell and Cheryl E. Ferrell, both of GC; March 20, 1981.

Andrew T. Rapoff of GC and Billie Jane Rapoff (Robertson) of Rutledge, N. Mex.; March 5, 1983.

Stanford C. Beal and Beverly J. Beal (Ayres), both of GC; July 8, 1979.

Robert Eugene Singleton and Jeanette Mae Singleton (Doty), both of GC; June 18, 1976.

Danny Lee Hicks of Madison and Sherry Doreen Hicks (Rainey) of GC; Feb. 27, 1971.

Randy Ray Robertson of Mitchell and Barbara Elaine Robertson (Cozad) of St. Charles, Mo.; May 20, 1980.

Gary Lee Kiselka and Dorothy Marie Kiselka (Rieberg), both of GC; March 18, 1978.

Owen Martin Rollberg and Margaret Mary Rollberg (Hendricks), both of GC; Sept. 17, 1983.

George E. Gray and Jean I. Gray (Barr), both of GC; married Dec. 26, 1981.

Dennis Edward White of St. Louis County and Vicki Sue White (Ferguson) of Pontoon Beach; Oct. 13, 1981.

Clarence Albert Williamson of GC and Betty Jane Williamson (Smith) of New York City; May 12, 1984.

Paul Andrew Haldeman Jr. and Eleanor Brett Haldeman (Johnson), both of Mitchell; May 29, 1976.

Glenn Harold Holmes of Cahokia and Judith Anne Holmes (Peters) of GC; Aug. 24, 1976.

Robert Edward Barnes and Elaine Frances Barnes (Bunker), both of GC; Jan. 15, 1972.

Ray Everett Jones Jr. and Robin Laurie Jones (Shelton), both of Madison; July 29, 1978.

Michael Ray Chandler of Mitchell and Catherine Sue Chandler (Rippy) of GC; Aug. 30, 1980.

Richard K. McCart of Pontoon Beach and Patricia A. McCart (Nelson) of Hamburg, Ill.; Sept. 9, 1972.

Carroll Milton Gates and Billie Jean Gates (McLean), both of GC; Nov. 5, 1976.

And Michael Steven DeGonia of Mitchell and Deanna Marie DeGonia (Orris) of GC; Nov. 20, 1982.

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Obituaries

Catherine Arbogast

Catherine A. (Riess) Arbogast, 91, a former Granite City resident, died Friday, May 25, 1984, at St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Belleville, Ill.

Born in Mascoutah Township, Ill., Mrs. Arbogast lived in Granite City until 1957, when her husband, Oliver Arbogast, retired from the Castings Division of American Steel Foundries. He died Sept. 17, 1968.

Among the survivors are two daughters, Mrs. Pearl Krausz of New Memphis, Ill., and Opal Schreier of Atlanta, Ga.; two brothers, Arthur and Edmund Riess, both of Mascoutah; one sister Alma Klingel of Estes Park, Colo.; six grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at Moll Funeral Home in Mascoutah. Burial was in Mascoutah City Cemetery. Memorials may be sent to St. John United Church of Christ in Mascoutah or St. Peter's Lutheran Church in New Memphis.

Edward Boyd



Edward "Bob" Boyd, 61, of 39 Villa Drive, well known in the area for his work with the Checkerboard Squares and serving as a caller at many square dances held in the Quad-Cities, died at 11:15 a.m. Tuesday, May 29, 1984, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

He was ill three months and hospitalized three weeks. Mr. Boyd was born in Madison and was a lifelong resident of the Quad-City area. Mr. Boyd worked as a supervisor for the U.S. Army Troop Support and

Aviation Material Readiness Command in St. Louis for 31 years and retired in 1978. He served with the U.S. Army from 1944 until 1946.

He was of the Protestant faith. Mr. Boyd became interested in square dancing in the late 1940's and since he and his first wife were unable to do it very much they began to teach neighbors and their four daughters to dance.

They organized the Tadpole Squares in 1957, but the dancers decided the name was not quite right and chose the name of Checkerboard Squares for their group.

Mr. Boyd was credited with teaching as many as 1,000 youngsters as well through a program sponsored by the Granite City Park District. He and his wife also accompanied the dance troupe to many competitive events throughout the country.

The Checkerboard Squares also entertained at civic and community gatherings as well as entertaining senior citizen at clubs and nursing homes.

Mr. Boyd and his wife, the former Janice M. Fogle who survives, were married June 17, 1978.

Other survivors include five daughters, Mrs. Ed (Linda) White of Blue Springs, Mo., Mrs. James (Sharon) Dodson, Provo, Utah, Mrs. Mike (Sherine) Reno, San Antonio, Texas, Mrs. Jeff (Shelly) Mack of Salt Lake City, Utah, Mrs. Jim (Suzanne) Taylor, Webster Groves, Mo.; a son, Randy Bergfeld of Granite City; two sisters, Mrs. Wilfrid (Pearl) Hedrick of Webster Groves, and Mrs. Ruby Barker, Granite City; 15 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Visitation is underway at Bob Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road, where services will be conducted by the Rev. Louis Frick at 2 p.m. Friday, June 1. Burial will be in Valley View Cemetery, Edwardsville. Memorials are requested for the American Cancer Society.

Clarence Langston

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday, May 30, for Clarence Kenneth Langston, 81, of Venice, at Lahey-Sedlack Funeral

Home, 501 Madison Ave., Madison, with the Rev. William Young officiating. Burial was in St. John Cemetery, 2901 Nameoki Road.

He died at 11:30 a.m. Monday, May 28, 1984, at Colonial Haven Nursing Home, where he resided for five months.

Born in Puxico, Mo., Mr. Langston moved to Venice 64 years ago. He worked at the Troop Support and Aviation Material Readiness Command in St. Louis, as a mechanic from 1943 until he retired in 1972. Mr. Langston also was a member of the Venice Senior Citizen Club.

He and his wife, the former Atlas Sharp, who survives, were married Feb. 31, 1925, in Edwardsville.

Other survivors include three sons, Kenneth Langston, Rockford, Ill., retired Venice Police Sgt. Mervyn Langston of Venice, and Edwin Langston, San Antonio, Texas; three daughters, Mrs. Ben (Juanita) Hasty of Arnold, Mo., Mrs. Donald (Elnora) Scuturo and Mrs. Bill (Carolyn) Petty, both of Venice; three sisters, Mrs. Anna Reed, Madison, Mrs. Iva Adams, Maryville, and Mrs. Dale (Valera) Covington, Potosi, Mo.; 16 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Mr. Langston was preceded in death by another son, Gerald Langston in 1972 and a sister, Mrs. Lucy Lawson.

Rev. John Mimitz

The Rev. John "Bud" Mimitz, 67, of Eagle River, Alaska, formerly of Granite City, died Tuesday, May 29, 1984, at the hospital in Eagle River. Born in Granite City, he attended local schools and graduated from Elmhurst College and Eden Seminary. Rev. Mimitz was ordained into the ministry in June 1963 at his home church, St. Peter Evangelical United Church of Christ, 2101 Cleveland Blvd.

Rev. Mimitz served parishes in South Dakota, Nebraska and last served as pastor of Zion United Church of Christ in Lawrenceburg, Ind., where he resigned due to health reasons and moved to Alaska in April.

He was preceded in death by his

GC summer band program

The Granite City School District is offering a summer school band program for students already in the band and to beginning students interested in learning to play a band instrument.

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wife, Mrs. Barbara (Arbogast) Mimitz, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mimitz.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Arthur (Jane) Keller of Eagle River, Mrs. Theodore (Camilla) Hile of Cincinnati, Ohio, Mrs. Al (Cindy) Eads of Manchester, Ind.; two sons, Matthew Mimitz of Elmhurst, Ill., and Brad Mimitz of Springfield, Mo., and five grandchildren.

His remains were cremated. A memorial service is planned for June 3 at the Zion United Church of Christ in Lawrenceburg, Ind. Memorials are requested for the cancer fund at the Zion UCC.

Nora Wood

Mrs. Nora V. (Grizzle) Wood, 76, a resident at the Colonades for a year and a half, formerly of the 2400 block of Missouri Ave., died at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 30, 1984, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. She was hospitalized one day.

Born in Jersey County, Ill., Mrs. Wood lived in this area for 58 years. She worked as a bookkeeper for Libson Shop for 17 years prior to her retirement.

Mrs. Wood was of the Protestant faith. Her husband, Charles L. Wood, died Aug. 16, 1971.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Ermazelle Wood, Granite City; a brother, Freeman Grizzle and a sister, Mrs. Elsie Pruitt, both of Jerseyville, Ill.; one granddaughter, Mrs. Gary (Connie) Sorenson, Granite City, and one great-granddaughter.

Visitation will begin at 4 p.m. Friday at Davis Funeral Home, 21st Street and Cleveland Boulevard, where services will be conducted at 10 a.m. Saturday, June 2. Burial will be in St. John Cemetery, 2901 Nameoki Road.

students, group lessons will be offered three days per week on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday starting June 4th and ending July 12th. These morning classes will be 30 minutes in length.

Registration begins at 9 a.m. on June 4th. The tuition is \$12 for the six week course and is non-refundable. The attendance center for students living in the Coolidge district will be the high school band room. Students living within the Grigsby area will attend Grigsby Junior High.

Freshman band students should report to the high school band room from June 4th through 8th at 1 p.m. and July 20th through August 5th at 1 p.m. All high school band students should report August 6th at 9 a.m. for lessons.

Classes are open to both public and parochial school students.

Rites yesterday for union officer, Herbert Rainbolt

Services were held at a Belleville funeral home Wednesday morning, May 30, for Herbert Rainbolt, 71, Belleville, and burial took place at Lake View Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Rainbolt died Friday, May 25, 1984, at St. John's Mercy Hospital, St. Louis. He was retired Carpenters Local 169 business agent and had served as exalted ruler of Elks Lodge 664.

He is survived by his wife, a son, a daughter, three grandchildren and three brothers, including Gene Rainbolt of Granite City.

Brother of local man dies in New Mexico

Services for John A. Smith, 63, of 2913 Palo Alto, Carlsbad, N.M., the brother of a local resident, were held Sunday, May 27, at the Benton Funeral Home Chapel in Carlsbad. Cremation followed.

Among the survivors are his wife, Mrs. Viola (Allison) Smith; one stepson, George Shafer of Camarillo, Calif.; two brothers, Elvin Smith of Madison and Herman Smith of Edwardsville; three sisters, Mrs. Eavy Tyler of Edwardsville, Mrs. Lena Baden of Alton and Mrs. Renee Franklin of Overland, Mo., and one grandchild.

Mr. Smith died May 23, 1984, at a hospital in Roswell, N.M., where he was a patient two weeks. He had been ill five weeks.

A native of Grandin, Mo., Mr. Smith retired 11 years ago from federal civil service. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II.

He also was a member of the Elks and Moose lodges and the Carlsbad Golf Course.

Services held for Mrs. Patricia Davis

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 29, at George Renner and Sons Funeral Home in Belleville, for Mrs. Patricia A. (Boyce) Davis, 40, of Belleville, sister of Mrs. Tom (Barbara) Jackson of Madison.

Mrs. Davis died Saturday, May 26, 1984, at her home. She was an Accredited Record Technician at St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Belleville, a member of St. Paul's United Church of Christ, American Medical Record Association and Southern Illinois Medical Record Association.

Other survivors include her husband, Emmett (Sonny) Davis Jr.; a daughter, Jonelle Davis; two sons, Emmett Davis III and Jarrod Davis; her father, Ivan G. Boycourt Sr., all of Belleville; and a brother, Ivan Boycourt Jr. of Honolulu, Hawaii.

Burial was in Walnut Hill Cemetery.

Services today for Edward Rosenbaum, 84

Funeral services were to be held at 11 a.m. today, May 31, at Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave., for Edward Rosenbaum, 84, of 1624 Delmar Ave.

He died at 9:15 a.m. Tuesday, May 29, 1984, at his home. Survivors include two sisters.

Burial will be in Nicholas Cemetery, Carlyle, Ill.

MORE STUDENTS IN THE TOM SAWYER PLAY

In an article Monday about the Frohardt School play "Tom Sawyer," a line was skipped in setting the type and several names were omitted.

Doug Rogers played Sid, Nichole Schneider played Mary, Matt Harper was Huck Finn and Doug Crites played Joe Clark.

The Press-Record regrets the omission.

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A burglar took costume jewelry and a skillet from the apartment of Mrs. Thelma Clemons, 1208 Niedringhaus Ave., last week in unrelated burglary last week, intruders gained forced entry to a Sieners Supply Co. warehouse near the 19th Street rail crossing and damaged several desks; keys and \$100 in cash are missing.



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Granite City offers employees savings plan this week

"I heard on the radio today that the U.S. is \$173 trillion in debt," Granite City's Comptroller, Joseph Miklovic commented in explaining this year's U.S. savings bond program for city employees last week. He said investing in the savings bond plan would "most definitely" be helping the country financially.

A Series EE Savings Bond is a contract showing that money has been loaned to the United States, which promises to repay it, with accrued interest.

The present interest rate on money invested is 9.95 percent using the variable interest rate method. Under this plan, the investor is guaranteed a minimum return of 7.5 percent, no matter how low interest rates may drop.

Series EE bonds may be purchased in denominations of \$50, \$75, \$100, \$200, \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000 and \$10,000. The purchase price is one-half of the denomination. Maturity on the

bonds occurs in 10 years.

Miklovic said that, although the city would prefer that persons interested in the savings bond plan delegate \$25 a pay period, a smaller payroll deduction is possible. "If an employee only wants to designate \$1 a paycheck, we have the computer capability to hold those dollars until the employee has enough to purchase a bond," he said.

According to the city comptroller, the advantages of a savings bond investment are more than just patriotism. Interest money earned through bonds is exempt from state and city tax. Also, payments on interest from bonds can be deferred to the federal government until the bonds reach final maturity (40 years).

Miklovic said he feels bonds are also advantageous in that they offer a high percentage rate to a small investor. Many money market accounts and certificates of deposit re-

quire a sizeable investment to "get in" on higher interest rates, while a Series EE Bond only requires \$25. Bonds also are advantageous because if they are lost, stolen, or otherwise destroyed, they will be replaced free of charge.

Miklovic said all 252 Granite City employees are eligible to become part of the payroll savings plan. He said canvassers from each of the city departments will be conducting informational meetings this week concerning the investments.

The city also is informing eligible employees through a poster campaign and commercials on cable stations ESPN and MTV.

Miklovic said that if other companies throughout the Quad-City area are interested in starting a similar plan at their companies, they should contact Josephine Stokes, U.S. Department of Treasury, at 1-314-425-5715.



CAMPAIGN CONFERENCE. Members of various Granite City departments met last week to discuss campaign goals for the annual U.S. Savings Bond Campaign. The campaign offers a savings payroll plan to all 252 city employees. Pictured above are, from the top left clockwise: City Clerk Robert Stevens, Deputy Treasurer Jackie Reinagel, Police Chief Ronald Vizeer, City Comptroller Joe Miklovic, Mayor Paul Schuler and Fire Chief Don Parente.

St. Peter Pre-school conducts open house

St. Peter Pre-School, 2100 Cleveland Blvd., conducted its annual open house entitled "Nursery Tale Night" for parents and friends, featuring the youngsters in a variety of skills and playlets.

All of the children were dressed in costumes relative to their particular presentation. The 3-year-old group performed the story of "Barry the Honey Bear." Students par-

ticipating were: Emily Markel, Emily Nussel, Brian Hopkins, Kathleen Curtin, Mandy Kirschner, Katie Curran, Steven Elliott, Chad Pogorelec, Joshua Haldeman, Elizabeth Beatty and Abby Thompson.

Andy Anson, Joey Byrd, Lenny Wilson, Scott Borowski, Derek Penrod, Justin Gopper, Jamie Lepert and Jeff Lofink.

Receives full scholarship to the Air Force Academy

James Allen Mood II from Granite City High School recently received an appointment to the Air Force Academy at the Senior Awards Ceremony. He applied for the appointment early last fall, along with more than 12,000 other high school seniors. He is one of 1,500 who will receive a full scholarship.

Mood will study Air Force organization, history and management, and leadership techniques, and have the opportunity to learn to

be a pilot. At the same time, he will be pursuing his choice of studies in his major academic field (23 major academic fields of study are available at the Academy). In addition to his room and board, and full tuition, he will receive \$480 per month pay. The Air Force estimates that this scholarship is worth \$150,000.

Outstanding high school juniors interested in applying for next year's class may contact Major Metzler at 1-377-5565.

Grand jury on assessments is sworn in Tuesday

Margaret Brandt of Madison is among those on the special Madison County grand jury which will be studying tax assessment practices in the county.

The grand jury was empaneled Tuesday by Circuit Judge P.J. O'Neill and sworn in by Circuit Clerk Willard V. "Butch" Portell.

The jurors were introduced to Bruce Locher, a Springfield, Ill., attorney who has been appointed special prosecutor in the assessment inquiry. Grand jury foreman is Charles Emons of Alton.

The special grand jury is not expected to be called into session until July and is expected to study the tax issue for two or three consecutive days before rendering its findings.

COSTOFF HOSPITALIZED
Christ Costoff, Madison Fourth Ward alderman and former Madison County Democratic Central Committee chairman, is undergoing testing and observation at St. Luke's Hospital West in Chesterfield, Mo.

He is expected to remain in the hospital for about one more week. Friends report he can have visitors and cards would be appreciated. Cards can be sent to 232 South Woods Mill Road, Chesterfield, Mo., 63017, room 6623.

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The Salvation Army Corps Community Center of Granite City will conduct a Day Camp program this summer for children ages 6 to 14, it was announced today by Captain Lavern Poling.

The program will start Monday, June 11, and conclude Aug. 24. Cost of the day camp series will be \$30 per child per week, with reduced rates for additional children in a single family. The weekly fee includes a morning snack and noon lunch.

Many activities are being planned, Capt. Poling said. Among the weekly excursions featured will be trips to Grant's Farm, the St. Louis Zoo and the Gateway Arch. Also included will be a weekly swim at the Wilson Park pool, it was noted.

Parents may register a child or obtain further information by calling 451-7857 any weekday, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.

DISORDERLY CHARGE FOLLOWS DISTURBANCE

Called to a disturbance in the 4500 block of Kirkpatrick Homes early this week, officers learned a man allegedly tried to enter several apartments and reportedly fought with a woman there.

Bradley C. Singleton, 22, of Collinsville, was found covered with mud and was charged with disorderly conduct. He was released after posting a \$52 cash bond.

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10 top Illinois cities doubled spending in past 10 years

Changing population trends and the effects of recession have had a significant impact on the way Illinois' ten largest cities collect and spend tax revenues, Comptroller Roland W. Burris reported this week.

During the 1970s Chicago, Rockford, Peoria, Joliet and Evanston witnessed a population decline while Springfield, Decatur, Aurora, Waukegan and Arlington Heights grew in size, he noted.

About 9.6 million or 84.2 percent of Illinois' 11.4 million residents live in 1,280 municipalities, including the 3.8 million who live in the ten largest cities. To fund necessary services for those cities, property, sales and other taxes, service charges and grants from other governments are collected.

For those cities that lost population in the 1970s, especially Chicago with a 10.8 percent decline, revenues shrunk since state income and motor

fuel tax distributions were proportionate to population. In contrast, those cities with population growth had an expanding tax base but also faced the need for additional capital spending for new streets, sewers and services.

Between 1973 and 1982, Chicago's revenues almost doubled, from \$948 million to \$1.893 billion, but failed to keep pace with inflation since the 1982 consumer price index was 2.2 times its 1973 level.

In 1973, the property tax was the most important revenue source with \$341 million, or 36 percent of total revenues. During the intervening years there was little growth in Chicago property tax revenues, reducing its share of total revenues to 18 percent in 1982.

In place of the property tax, Chicago increasingly relied on revenues from selective sales taxes, user charges and intergovernmental grants, Burris related. Selective

sales tax revenues increased 60.4 percent from 1973 to 1977 and a further 88.3 percent by 1982.

General sales taxes increased 32.9 percent between 1973 and 1977 and a further 55.9 percent through 1982. This growth failed to keep pace with inflation, reflecting a shift in retail sales toward the suburbs, caused by Chicago's population loss.

Service charges like water rates and airport user fees increased 30.1 percent from 1973 to 1977 and another 77.9 percent through 1982.

State grants received by Chicago increased 32.4 percent through 1977 and then almost doubled after 1978. The most growth was experienced in federal grants, which rose 92.9 percent and then 89.7 percent. The additional federal monies allowed the city to make expenditures in excess of what could be provided from its own tax sources, but made it vulnerable to possible future federal budget cuts.

For the ten-year period ending in 1982, revenues for the other nine Illinois cities increased \$212 million, or more than 2.5 times, from \$130 million to \$342 million, in excess of the rate of inflation. Like Chicago, the property taxes' share of revenues declined from 33.1 percent to 27.8 percent but these cities, except for Waukegan, showed dramatic increases in property tax revenues.

Due to the growth in the value of their taxable property, some cities experienced revenue growth in excess of property tax rate increases.

An example is Decatur, which boosted property tax revenues from \$2 million to \$5 million in the decade, while raising its tax rate only 32.8 percent. Significant growth in taxable property values also included Arlington Heights, with an 86.9 percent rise, and Springfield with 68.4 percent.

On the other hand, two cities with population losses, Rockford and Peoria, had the smallest changes in their property values.

Revenues from the general sales tax were much better for the nine cities compared to Chicago. Collectively, revenues increased 51.9 percent from 1973 to 1977 and a further 4.1 percent through 1982. Revenues from selective sales taxes more than tripled during the ten years.

State grants increased 29.4 percent during the first period and then doubled for the period ending in 1982.

Federal grants were of lesser importance to these nine cities than to Chicago. While grant amounts more than doubled, they made up less than ten percent of total revenues for these nine cities.

Expenditures by Chicago rose 96.6 percent from \$901 million in 1973 to \$1.771 billion in 1982.

The largest portion was for fire and police protection, 30.2 percent of total spending in 1982.

Spending for the environment and housing nearly tripled in the decade, from \$50 million to \$272 million. Health and welfare expenditures increased almost 2.5 times the amount spent in 1973.

Spending by the next nine largest Illinois cities was \$330 million in

1982, almost triple the \$111 million in 1973. Police and fire protection were major costs, amounting to 27.9 percent of total spending.

Environment and housing costs jumped from \$16 million to \$71 million over the decade, with much of that centered in Peoria, Springfield and Evanston. Health and welfare spending by the nine cities played a lesser role in overall expenditures, with only minimal increases except for a few isolated instances.

Although the bulk of long-term general obligation debt of Illinois' ten largest cities is owed by Chicago, the largest increase in the debt of the other nine cities.

After reclassification of some of Chicago's debt in 1974, there was little change in the general obligation debt until 1981. In total, Chicago's debt rose \$78 million or 23.9 percent from 1974 to 1982.

For the next nine largest cities, the jump in debt was noted in spending for capital projects. Long-term general obligation debt increased \$152 million or 7.3 times, from \$24 million to \$176 million.

Recent studies have found that municipalities survived the economic recession in relatively good fiscal condition, but there were wide variations in the growth of revenues, Burris said.

The importance of certain revenues, such as property taxes, declined for Chicago, being replaced with other fees. Other cities witnessed less change in revenue sources, although several experienced only limited growth, Burris concluded.

GC school district, teachers bargaining

Negotiations are being conducted on the potential terms of a contract for Local 743, American Federation of Teachers.

A team representing the local and another team from the Granite City school district conferred from 6 p.m. Tuesday to 1:30 a.m. Wednesday.

A special session of the Granite City Board of Education on the topic of negotiations has been called for 4 p.m. today.

If an agreement could be reached this week, it would be the earliest settlement in a number of years, except for the middle years of multi-year pacts.

Once schools have closed for the summer vacation, if there is no contract signing, many districts find that bargaining is difficult to complete until after final state aid decisions have been made in Springfield in the middle or late summer.

All employee groups' existing agreements in Granite City District Nine expire this summer.

Bargaining has been in progress with Local 743 during the late spring. One of the union-district discussions last week continued for more than 12 hours, from 4 p.m. to 4:30 a.m.

No public statements have been issued on the degree of progress being made.

YMCA to sponsor dance for teens

The Tri-City Area YMCA is sponsoring a summer dance program from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. at the YMCA auditorium on Tuesday, June 19. Only seventh and eighth grade Granite City students will be admitted.

The YMCA is seeking junior high school students to help run and prepare the program and adult volunteers to chaperone the event. Admission will be charged.

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MAUREEN DOYLE, a former Granite City resident, has been awarded the Dana Diebert Memorial Scholarship and the St. Joseph Hospital Auxiliary Scholarship. Miss Doyle, a 1984 graduate of St. Paul High School, Highland, Ill., will attend the Barnes Hospital School of Nursing and the University of Missouri at St. Louis this fall. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Doyle of Highland and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Doyle Sr. and Mrs. Joseph Dallas, all of Granite City.

10-year sentence on robbery, burglaries

Gordon Shepard, 20, Springfield, Ill., has been sentenced by Circuit Judge Philip J. Rarik to serve ten years in an Illinois state prison.

The sentence, this spring related to a Feb. 15 charge of armed robbery in Granite City and six counts of residential burglary filed March 8. Guilty pleas were submitted April 9.

The armed holdup occurred at 9:10 p.m. Feb. 14 at 19th and Benton streets, where a policeman saw two men standing in front of Larry Warden of the 2100 block of Bryan Avenue. One who had been holding Warden's wrist fled, circling a nearby store and prompting a foot chase. Shepard was taken into custody near 19th and Cleveland Blvd.

The second man succeeded in fleeing east along 19th Street. Warden said Shepard had walked up to him and asked for money. When the victim said he had none, Shepard wielded a knife, threatening to cut the man if he did not comply.

Shepard grabbed Warden's right wrist and cut his hand between the ring and middle fingers of his right hand. A half-inch-long cut was suffered.

Warden said the man took a watch from Warden's left wrist. A watch was found in Shepard's coat pocket at the police station.

\$2,050 IN TOOLS ARE TAKEN FROM A TRUCK

Terry Allen of East Alton told Venice police Tuesday that someone took \$2,050 worth of tools from his pickup truck while he went to get gas. Allen said his truck ran out of fuel on Route 3 at the area terminal and he walked to Venice Gas and Oil to get some.

When he returned, he said someone had broken into the toolbox in the back of his truck and had taken one commercial chain saw, one pole and chain saw in a case, one transit and one ratchet set. Allen said the items belong to Charles Smith of B.J. Asphalt Inc., Godfrey.

KITCHEN TABLE IS TAKEN

Esther Johnson of 501 Washington Ave., Venice, told police last week that someone forced open the back door of her home and ransacked the house. Taken was a kitchen table, a clock and \$10 in change.

SHATTER WINDOW

Steve Frederick, 1240 Twenty-Second St., reported early this week that a vandal used a tire tool to shatter the rear window of his 1972 pickup which was parked on the street near his home.

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Port to celebrate anniversary August 25 with an open house

At the last regular meeting of the Tri-City Regional Port District board, a new salary committee was appointed, an auditor was approved for the district's annual audit and several leases and contracts were discussed. Plans for the port district's 25th anniversary also were presented.

Anniversary plans include an open house at the port district Aug. 25.

CARL RANFT, general manager of the port, reported that Lock 27, which is adjacent to the port, will participate in the open house and that he has received confirmation from the Norfolk & Western Railroad that a railroad museum car will be brought in for the day. One of the company's new engines will pull it into the port area and will be on display as well.

Plans for tours through the port area during the open house will be finalized in the near future.

The new salary committee, appointed by board chairman "Buck" Simmons, is comprised of Melvin Wilmsmeyer, chairman, Howard Silas and Homer Huber.

AFTER APPROVAL of the minutes from the last meeting and the statement of receipts and disbursements, a discussion developed about the installation of a pump station at the port.

Board member Kent Holsinger inquired about the delay in the project, which he said was first discussed last spring.

Jerry LaVelle, port district engineer, explained that the pump station project and the EDA project involving a truck dump and the extension of rail facilities, had come up at the same time. "It was a matter of priorities," he said.

"THE EDA project represents about a \$1 million in federal funds and we were under a deadline, so we started the EDA project planning. We did the office work and field surveying for the pump station project when we had lulls in the EDA project work," LaVelle said.

He also said that the pump and other items have not been received yet and noted the construction has not been formally approved by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, which is necessary before any work can be done.

LaVelle did say that he was assured by Corps personnel that the pump station project will be approved, but that formal, written approval is necessary before the construction could actually begin. The plans for the project were submitted to the Corps in January of this year.

THE BOARD unanimously approved the C.J. Schlosser auditing firm to again do the annual port district audit. Schlosser was hired to do the audit last year as well. RANFT explained the fee for the audit this year will be about \$100 more than the \$4,000 fee charged last year.

Two leases with Granite City Steel and a rail contract with the Norfolk & Southern Railroad were briefly discussed by the board.

The rail contract renewal calls for the reduction of fees paid to the port district by the railroad. RANFT reported that the new contract cuts in half the fees paid per railcar for switching and line hauls.

HE SAID that the fees are not for rental, but for the installation of the rail facilities and there was nothing

that can be done by the port district to recover the lost revenues which will result due to the new contract. He indicated that the port will lose about \$60,000 this year because of the reduced fees.

Simmons asked the board's pleasure about pending representations of the district to a Foreign Trade Zone convention in Maui, Hawaii.

"I THINK the Foreign Trade Zone has cost us more than it's made us and I see no point in going to Hawaii for a convention," Holsinger said. Huber asked if there was any particular reason why anyone should go to the convention.

RANFT said that the port district has received "a lot of good information" at previous FTZ conventions and that many valuable contacts can be made during the meetings.

HE POINTED out that the convention in Hawaii isn't until October and that he was bringing it up before the board now in an attempt to get better rates from the airlines. RANFT indicated that he was requesting authorization for he and Robert Wydra, his assistant, to attend the convention, but noted that both of them might not go.

No action was taken by the board on RANFT's request.

The board was told about a summer work program, replacing the former CETA program, through which the port district acquired one worker for the summer.

RANFT EXPLAINED that half of the man's wages, set at \$4.50 per hour, is being paid by the county for the first six months of his employment.

Holsinger inquired if the port district is obligated to hire the man after the six-month period. RANFT said that permanent employment for the program participants is encouraged.

When asked if there is a need, RANFT said that the district is a man short due to the resignation of one of the port employees to join the Illinois State Police and that the district will likely hire the man after the six-month period.

A LETTER from Fox Industries, which maintains the Foreign Trade Zone 31 site for the port, was read by RANFT. In the letter, Richard Kearns, president of Fox Industries, said that the company would like to reduce the size of the FTZ at its pre-

sent warehouse location and establish a second location in the city.

Kearns said that this would be advantageous for the FTZ since the company would then be in a position to offer substantial square footage on a 30-day basis for customers who might need the space for sub-assembly of goods, cutting or other needs that could create employment locally.

Kearns indicated that space in the present warehouse where the FTZ is located is dedicated to a previous contract and that there is presently no room for expansion.

NO ACTION was taken by the board on the letter, but the port staff is to study the proposal for future consideration.

Attempted burglary leads to prison term

Circuit Judge Paul J. O'Neill has sentenced Jerome Kirkland to serve three years in an Illinois penitentiary.

Kirkland, 29, of 1104 Douglas St., Venice, was accused March 21 of attempted burglary in Madison. He pleaded guilty in April.


Police said they saw him trying to gain entry to the Head Start Center, formerly Dunbar School, at W. 3rd and Jackson streets, West Madison. They said he was striking windows of the building.

When officers shouted to him, telling him he was under arrest, he ran. A policeman yelled "Halt" and fired a warning shot. A second officer then told him to stop, and also fired a warning shot.

The man continued to run and Kirkland ultimately was taken into custody in a yard in the 900 block of W. Washington Street.

In the summer of 1980, Kirkland was sentenced to three years in prison for an April 10, 1980, burglary. That sentence was ordered to be served concurrently with a sentence on a 1978 burglary, for which Kirkland initially was placed on two-year probation and told to serve 90 days in jail.

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The questions which are most frequently asked are answered, such as how to get a phone repaired; how to continue leasing a phone; who to call for what; what services are

available for the handicapped; and where to buy phone sets and equipment. Toll-free numbers for contacting AT&T also are listed. This free booklet may be gotten from any AT&T Phone Center Store or by calling the AT&T consumer sales and service office at 1-800-555-8111.

JOHNSON GIVEN PROBATION FOR UNLAWFUL RESTRAINT
Edward Johnson, 64, of 313 Watson St., Eagle Park Acres, was sentenced this spring to 2½-year probation, a \$500 fine and \$50 special costs. Circuit Judge P.J. O'Neill presided at the Madison County Courthouse. A charge of unlawful restraint was filed on Oct. 13, 1983, and Johnson pleaded guilty March 25. Date and location of the incident were not specified.

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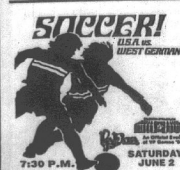
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of the Press-Record

MADISON — The Madison Board of Education has officially hired Rodney Watson of Sparta as the new basketball coach for the Madison High School Trojans.

Watson, who has been varsity basketball coach for the Coulterville Eagles during the past two seasons, will fill the vacancy left by veteran mentor Larry Graham who in March accepted the head basketball coaching position at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

According to superintendent John Palchiff, the decision to hire Watson came Tuesday night after the board had narrowed their choice to three finalists from among the more than 50 coaches who applied for the opening. Palchiff said Watson, a 24-year-old native of Paris, Ill., was one of the finalists interviewed at the board meeting Tuesday.

"We felt that Rodney, being in the area and knowing the schools we play, had an advantage," said Palchiff. "Since he's played against

us, he's already familiar with some of our players."

THE COULTERVILLE Eagles lost a 59-49 contest to Madison on Jan. 24. The loss was one of six for Watson, whose team finished the season at 23-6.

Watson coached his squad to a championship in the Pickneyville Regional, defeating Pickneyville in the championship game. The Eagles went on to defeat Red Bud in the opening game of the Nashville Sectional before suffering a 3-point loss to Mater Dei in the sectional championship.

Watson, a 1982 graduate of Eastern Illinois University, will teach physical education and driver's education at Madison. Palchiff said the other two finalists were John Lawson of Cerro Gordo High School near Decatur and Gary Belger of Cardinal Stritch High School in Keokuk, Iowa.

"All three had outstanding records," said Palchiff. "Any one of them would have made a fine choice."

As for next year's season, Palchiff said Watson should help Madison

continue their winning tradition.

"We feel we'll be competitive," said Palchiff. "We have a fine nucleus coming back for next year's team."

Leading scorer Rodney Brooks will be returning as center next season, along with starters James Bennett and DeLoyd Williams.

GRANHAM said he knew Watson mainly from playing against his squad.

"His team came well prepared when we played him," said Graham. "He's got a lot of enthusiasm for coaching basketball."

Graham said Watson also earned a good reputation, while in his undergraduate work at Eastern Illinois University.

"I know he's well thought of by the Eastern coaching staff," said Graham. "I'm sure he'll have success at Madison."

Watson has a tough act to follow, however.

During his 15-year coaching career at Madison, Graham accumulated a 324-99 record. He guided the Trojans to the state championships in 1977 and 1981.

Four Granite Cityans guide Peru State to baseball success

PERU, Neb. — Granite City players on the Peru State College baseball team had a major role in the success of the club's 10-8 spring season.

The four players — second baseman Kevin Sykes, third baseman Jeff Parker, catcher Vince Mitchell and outfielder Lance Parker — combined for 41 percent of the team's total hits and 39 percent of the runs batted in.

Sykes, a recent PSC graduate with a business administration degree, was selected as a first-team NAIA District 11 performer. He was the district's top base stealer with an .89 percentage, stealing 16 in 18 tries, and batted .288 on the year with 19 hits and 19 runs in the rain-shortened 18-game season.

"Of all the people we'll miss, he's probably the main one," said PSC head coach Nick Petrillo. "His type of leadership is very, very hard to find."

SYKES CURRENTLY holds five individual PSC records, including most hits in a game (4), most runs in a game (4), most hits in a game (4) and most walks during a game (3). He also holds the school's record for base stealing by swiping 27 in the 1983 season.

"I think he's the single most important reason why we made the (District 11) playoffs the past two years," said Petrillo. "Because of his excellent play at second base and his leadership on and off the field."

Sykes, a 1980 graduate of Granite City South High School, is the son of Shirley and Kaye Sykes. He transferred to Peru from Lewis and Clark Community College in 1982 after earning Southern Illinois Junior College All-Star honors as a second baseman.

JEFF PARKER, another senior, provided the Bobcats with home run power this past season. Parker led District 11 in the home run category with three and batted .264 on the season. The 6-foot-2 third baseman also was praised for his defensive work.

"I feel that Jeff was probably one of the finest defensive basemen in the district," said Petrillo. "He made some outstanding plays this season."

Parker started the season in a slump, batting just .188 after five games and .212 after 11. But Parker raised his average 52 points by hitting .350 in his last seven games, with a seven-for-20 streak.

"I think Jeff needed a longer season to get into a groove and play the kind of ball he's capable of," said Petrillo.

Parker will return to Peru State for his fifth year to compete on the Bobcat football team, where he earned honorable mention All-District status in 1983. He is the son of L. Clay and Marilyn Parker and majoring in business administration.

FRESHMAN VINCE Mitchell proved to be one of the club's top newcomers. He batted .350 on the year and the district with his 440 batting average and 18 runs batted in. The catcher also ranked second in the district in doubles with five. His offensive and defensive performances earned him All-District 11 honors.

"He is definitely a quality catcher," said Petrillo. "He took over like a veteran behind the plate. He was in total command of our pitchers."

Mitchell hit safely in 14 of 19 games and at one time had an eight game hitting streak. His best day at the plate was a 4-for-4 performance at Concordia in a 25-9 blowout victory April 27.

Mitchell suffered a broken bone in his foot during the preseason, but recovered by the season's start.

"He is a fine defensive catcher," said Petrillo. "The injury had little effect on his play."

Mitchell, the son of William and Claudell Mitchell, is a 1983 graduate of Granite City South High School.

LANCE PARKER, the younger brother of Jeff, made his way into the line-up by playing a variety of positions — including pitcher,

designated hitter, left field and right field. He led the team and the district in doubles, with six in 11 at bats.

The highlight for Parker came on April 19 when he won a 6-4 contest over the University of Nebraska-Omaha, an NCAA Division II school. He limited the Mavericks to just three hits, striking out three batters and walking just two.

"Next year Lance will probably be a designated hitter and pitcher," said Petrillo. "His position naturally is a pitcher and he can concentrate working at that spot."

The Bobcats' 10-8 record ranked as the team's best winning percentage since 1966 and was the team's most victories since 1979.

The season marked the second year for coach Petrillo, a 1965 Granite City South High School graduate and a 1969 Peru State graduate. His two-year coaching mark at Peru is 21-22.

Sectional to begin Saturday

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GRANITE CITY FOURSOME. Four Granite City South High School graduates that played an integral part of this spring's Peru State College baseball team in Nebraska are, in front row from left, Kevin Sykes and Vince Mitchell, and in back row from left, Jeff Parker and Lance Parker. The foursome collected 41 percent of the hits for the team, which is coached by Granite City native Nick Petrillo.

(Peru State photo by Mike Northrup)

Coakley in charge of Granite City squad

American Legion squad has opener on Sunday

By CHARLIE SKAER
of the Press-Record

GRANITE CITY — The American Legion baseball season gets underway Sunday when Granite City Post 113 meets Smithton Post 937 in a 1:30 p.m. contest at Granite City Varsity Field on Fehling Road.

The Granite City club will be under the direction of new head coach Dave Coakley. And although Coakley has yet to hold a practice, the skipper has already had his share of workouts.

COAKLEY TAKES over the job left open by Larry Corey, who retired as head coach after last summer's season. When a replacement for Corey hadn't been found when American Legion organizers began meeting this spring, the league almost dropped the Granite City squad from its schedule.

"There are a lot of teams out there that are waiting to get in," said Coakley. "There's only 16 teams allowed in the league and we were really lucky to stay in it this year. If we had been dropped, it may have been a number of years before there would have been another opening for us."

Coakley came to aid of the Granite City club after initially being contacted by Myron Mers, head of Granite City's American Legion

junior squad. Coakley accepted the job when Mers explained the seriousness of the situation.

SINCE THAT TIME, Coakley has had to battle with a limited amount of time to set up a summer schedule and a number of coaches who at first seemed were unwilling to add Granite City to their schedules. Coakley said the coaches loosened up a bit after it became official that the Granite City squad was not going to be dropped from the league.

And like many other coaches, Coakley has been unable to hold any practices because of Illinois High School Association rules barring such activities until the school's baseball season has ended. Granite City's season ended Monday after a 6-4 loss to East St. Louis Senior in regional action.

BUT COAKLEY pointed out the bright side.

"It could have been worse," he said. "If Granite City had been in the regional and lost in the sectional on Saturday, we still would have had to play on Sunday. The guys would probably have been signing for the team at the same time they were putting on their uniforms."

With the way it stands now, Coakley is hoping to get in an initial practice Saturday. Despite having only one official workout under his

belt, Coakley still sees bright prospects for Sunday's debut.

"Most of the guys have played together on other teams, such as with the high school and Park District," said Coakley. "They're good young men."

Coakley also saw many of the club's members when he coached a squad in the North St. Louis County American Legion junior league in 1982. Prior to that, Coakley coached for seven years in the Park District.

Coakley now has 13 members on

his team, although he's looking for a few extra pitchers to round out the club.

TEAM MEMBERS on this year's squad include the two Granite City High School graduating seniors who

shared the most valuable player honor this year for the school's baseball team — Gerald Booker and Jim Molden. Booker is slated to play right field, while Molden will be behind the plate.

Also playing will be graduating senior Randy Thurman, who led the Warriors in batting with a .380 average. Thurman will be playing second.

The pitching staff will be made up of Sam Tate, Danny Whitsett and Alan Zentgraf. Rounding out the squad will be first baseman Keith Coakley, shortstop Pat Cathey, third baseman Randy Burgess, left fielder Shane Cole and center fielder Terry Rujaewitz. Doug Deruke will be a backup catcher and outfielder, while Steve Davis will be a backup infielder.

The Granite City team is also being sponsored this year by the American Athletic Club is Mitchell. All the team's home games will be played at Granite City Varsity Field, except for the June 22 game against Alton and the June 27 game against Edwardsville, both which will be played at Wilson Park. The team will also compete in the Fourth of July Tournament at Alton, with Granite City taking on Troy in the tourney's opening game June 30.

GRANITE CITY AMERICAN LEGION BASEBALL 1984 SCHEDULE

DATE	TEAM	TIME	PLACE	DATE	TEAM	TIME	PLACE
June 3	Smithton	1:30 p.m.	Home	June 22	Alton	6:00 p.m.	Home*
June 4	Collinsville	6:00 p.m.	Home	June 23	Collinsville	8:00 p.m.	Away
June 8	Edwardsville	8:00 p.m.	Away	June 24	Highland	2:00 p.m.	Home
June 10	Fairview Hts.	1:00 p.m.	Away	June 25	Troy	6:00 p.m.	Home
June 11	Bethalto	6:00 p.m.	Away	June 27	Edwardsville	6:00 p.m.	Home*
June 13	Marissa	8:00 p.m.	Away	June 27	Troy	8:30 p.m.	Away
June 14	Waterloo	6:00 p.m.	Away	June 28	Bethalto	6:00 p.m.	Home
June 15	Highland	8:00 p.m.	Away	June 30	4th July Tourney	11:30 a.m.	Alton**
June 19	East Alton	6:00 p.m.	Home	July 8	Belleville	8:00 p.m.	Away
June 20	East Alton	8:00 p.m.	Away	July 8	O'Fallon	6:00 p.m.	Home
June 21	Alton	6:00 p.m.	Away	July 12	East St. Louis	6:00 p.m.	Away
				July 14	Cahokia	8:00 p.m.	Away

*Games scheduled for June 22 and 27 will be played on Wilson Park Diamond No. 1.

**All other home games will be played on Granite City High School Diamonds.

*Granite City plays Troy in first game.

Thursday **SPORTS**

Gluckman pitches 5-3 victory Spanky's beats Mascoutah for second victory

By AL BARNES
for the Press-Record

MASCOUTAH — "If you can't beat them, get them to join you" is the new twist to an old slogan adopted by manager Bill Stoltz of the 7-Up—Spanky's baseball team Wednesday night as his squad defeated the Mascoutah Pioneers, 5-3.

On the mound for the winners was a smooth-throwing lefty, Marc Gluckman, who just finished four years as the mound star of the Washington Bears in St. Louis. It was his first victory for the 7-Up—Spanky's team and the second win in a row for the squad.

Last season Gluckman pitched for the St. Louis Browns and defeated Spanky's three times, twice in the Missouri State tournament.

SO PRIOR TO the start of this season, Stoltz and Spanky's business manager, Pat Peterson recruited Gluckman to pitch for the Edwardsville-based team. Their move paid off Wednesday night.

Gluckman, moving the ball around with a brilliant display of control, fanned 12 Mascoutah batters and allowed just one walk. The 6-foot-5 lefty didn't allow a hit until the sixth frame, as he appeared to weaken — he hadn't pitched for nearly three weeks.

The walk was to the leadoff man in the bottom of the sixth, who later became the loser's first run. Art Hoefler smacked one to left on a hit-and-run that put runners at second and third. Joe Lindsay was safe on an infield hit to third, scoring the Pioneers' first run. Ed Jarvis singled through a drawn-in infield to score two more, putting Mascoutah ahead 3-2.

TWO INNINGS LATER, Roger Hill led off the eighth with a single, his fourth straight. Billy Buntun walked on a full count. Granite City's Danny Patterson, playing first base for Tom Greco who had just gone to work at night for Granite City Steel,

also drew a walk to fill the bases for the 7-Up—Spanky's team.

After the next batter popped up to short, right-fielder Joe Gasaway slapped an infield hit past a hole at short, scoring the tying run.

Player-manager Bill Stoltz came to the plate as a designated hitter, but hit a fly to left for the second out.

HARD-HITTING KEITH Hoskinson, who played for Spanky's two years ago but saw action in the last season in the Cape Cod League up East, singled to right to drive in two runs and give his team their 5-3 winning advantage.

J. V. Victoriano, a St. Louis native who played this past season for the University of Arkansas at Little Rock, doubled in the winners' first two runs in the second inning.

The 7-Up—Spanky's team will try to make it three in a row when they take on the Valmeyer Merchants in a 7:30 p.m. contest tonight at Hoppe Park in Edwardsville.

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Mark Gluckman

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Vivian Turner

Vivian Turner receives award at banquet

Vivian Turner, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Alfred Turner of Madison, has been named the most valuable athlete on the Madison Middle School track team.

Turner, a seventh grade student, received the honor at the school's awards banquet held May 25. The female sprinter participated in the 50- and 220-yard dashes and was a member of the school's 440- and 880-yard relay teams. She also recently received a first-place ribbon in the 600-yard run.

On June 3

Duck blind drawing at Horseshoe

There will be a public drawing at nearby Horseshoe Lake State Park on Sunday, June 3, for the drawing of one-year allocation of 29 duck blind sites on the public area of lake.

Registration will be from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. with drawing immediately following registration. The drawing will be at picnic shelter at main entrance of park.

Each registrant for the drawing must be at least 16 years of age and

possess a current or preceding year's Illinois hunting license, a current or expired (within 12 months prior to the drawing) Firearm Owners Identification Card unless exempted by law.

Persons exempted by law from possessing a hunting license or Waterfowl Stamp must have a valid Firearm Owners Identification Card.

Persons who are under 21 years of

age and do not have a Firearm Owners Identification Card must be accompanied by an adult who has a valid Firearm Owners ID card in his possession at the drawing.

Applicants must be present for the registration and drawing to be eligible for allocation of duck blind sites. Persons wishing further information about the drawings should call 931-0270.

Soccer tryouts scheduled for this weekend

Tryouts for this region's soccer teams in the 1984 Prairie State Games are scheduled for Saturday and Sunday at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

According to local soccer enthusiast Ruben Mendoza who is the coach for the girls' and women's divisions in the Games, tryouts will be at Cougar Field from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. both days.

Play will be divided into four teams, two male and two female. The two male divisions are for boys high school age and younger and men over high school age. The same divisions will exist in the women's divisions.

Recently graduated high school seniors will compete in the high

school division. Mendoza, who operates a sporting goods store at Soccer for Fun, has applications for soccer applicants at his business. Fees for the games are \$10 and may be paid on the day of the tryouts.

Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville soccer coach Bob Guelker will lead the men's team, while Mendoza and Norman Seim will instruct the girls. Willi Seim, soccer enthusiast, is the area soccer coordinator.

Bethel church to sponsor free 6.2 mile run

The Bethel Evangelical Free Church will hold a free 6.2 mile run to be held June 16 at 4 p.m.

Trophies will be given to the top three male and female runners of the Saturday race, which will start at the corner of Maryville Road and Stratford Lane in Granite City. Ribbons will also be given in individual age categories.

Registration forms are available in Granite City at Earl's Sporting Goods, the Tri-City Area YMCA, Kroger's, National and Schnucks. Individuals may also register at the Bethel church, 2450 Stratford Lane,

between 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. on race day.

The run is the major athletic event in the church's "Bethellympics," a day of games, puppet shows and entertainment. It climaxes the church's Vacation Bible School program, which runs from June 11 to June 16.

For further information, contact the church office at 797-1010 on Monday, Tuesday or Thursday between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m.

Rascals host softball tourney to begin June 8

The Granite City Boys' Little Rascals Football Club is sponsoring a men's 12-team double-elimination softball tournament at the Third and McCambridge Street diamond in Madison June 8-10.

The tourney, which begins on Friday with first-round action, will conclude on Sunday with the championships. Expense and travel money will be awarded to the first four-place teams in the tourney.

Fee for the tourney is \$80 per team. Persons seeking further information about the tourney should call either Mike Harris at 452-2317 or John Hamm at 877-1051.

Bob Guelker to lead SFF soccer clinic

Soccer for Fun in conjunction with Bob Guelker, soccer coach at Southern Illinois at Edwardsville, will conduct a one-week indoor soccer clinic at the facility in July.

According to a release from SFF, Guelker will conduct the clinic July 9 to 13 from 10 a.m. until noon. The cost of the clinic is \$30.

Persons seeking further information about the Guelker clinic or the women's Monday workout should call Fred Johnston at Soccer for Fun, 797-0619.

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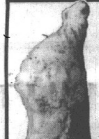
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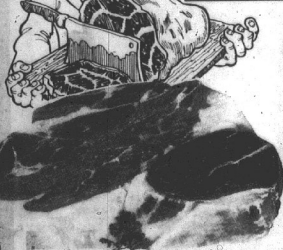
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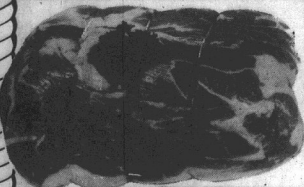
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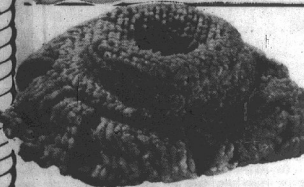
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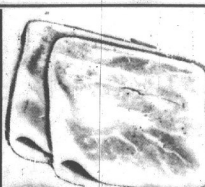


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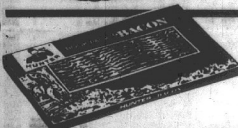
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Community Events

Two businesses honored by Beautification Committee of local Chamber



In an ongoing program which recognizes local business owners who have contributed to the aesthetic beauty of their places of business and to the community as a whole, the Beautification Committee of the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce recently presented two such businessmen with certificates of recognition. Above, Beverly Partney, president of the Women's Division of the Chamber, presents a certificate to Richard Hodshire, DMD, who practices family dentistry at 2130 Johnson Road, for a major landscaping project. In background, Jo Meyer, chairman of the committee, is at right. At right, another certificate is presented by the two women to Robert Jones, owner and operator of the Boskin-Robbins ice cream parlor, American Village Shopping Center, for the addition of outside umbrella tables for his customers.

(Press-Record Photos by Patrick Foley)



GC Jr. Service hosts mother-daughter dinner

The Granite City Junior Service Club held its May meeting at the Nameoki United Methodist Church, with a discussion concerning a spring project in order to raise money for the club. A \$100 raffle was decided, and distribution of the tickets will take place at the Mother-Daughter banquet.

Those present were Gail Miosky, Betty Nighohossian, Pam Reed, Debbie McMillan, Flora Mae Lansing, Laura Rapoff, Mary Holloway, JoAnn Wayne, Jennie Wilbur, Brenda Weckman, Sarah Repp, Gale McGovern, Donna Sprankle, Joan Wachter, Donna McBride, Linda Badger, Joella Harris-President,

Becky Sertich, Joyce Curran, and Faith Holsinger. Home made article was made by Faith Holsinger and won by Joan Wachter.

Later the club hosted its annual Mother-Daughter banquet, catered by Petri's at the Nameoki United Methodist Church. After the dinner

hour Pam Reed, a member of the club, demonstrated her art in candy making.

Those present were: Dorothy Hanne, mother of Karen Niebur who is living in Bloomington, Ill., Gloria Curran, Joyce Curran, Sara Curran, Katie Curran, Theresa Harding, Lois Holsinger, Faith Holsinger, Kristie Holsinger, Joan Wachter, Shelly Wachter, Susan Wachter, Mary Sertich, Becky Sertich, Pam Reed, Kelly Reed, Mary Adams, Donna Sprankle, Flora Mae Lansing, Marie Bertello, Mary Holloway, Kim Holloway, Evelyn Riesing, Joella Harris, Jennifer Harris, Elizabeth Harris, Jessica Harris, Ha McMillan, Debbie McMillan, Isabelle Burnett, Lynette Burnett, Julie Burnett, Carrie Burnett, Elsie Miosky, Paula Weaver, Erin Weaver, Kathy Mitchell, Ann Marie Mitchell, Mary Kay Mitchell, Brenda Weckman, Keri Weckman, Laura Rapoff, Beth Rapoff, Evelyn Ferro, Donna McBride, Mary Hanfelder, Betty Nighohossian, Cara Nighohossian, Joyce Hellich, Julie Hellich, Jill Hellich, Jeannie Wilbur, Shelly Wilbur.

Attendance prizes were won by Joan Wachter, Beth Rapoff, Shelly Wilbur, Jill Hellich, Theresa Harding, Kim Holloway, Isabelle Burnett, Betty Nighohossian, Kathy Mitchell, Joella Harris, Jeannie Wilbur and Debbie McMillan.

Audubon Society plans picnic and nature walk

The Southern Illinois Audubon Society met last week at the First Federal Savings and Loan in Collinsville, for its monthly meeting.

Mrs. Terri Davis heads Xi Epsilon

Mrs. Terri Davis was installed as president of Xi Epsilon Chi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, at a dinner meeting held at the Roadside Inn in Troy, Ill., last week.

Others to serve for the forthcoming year include, Anastasia Elieff, vice president, Vicki Thomas, recording secretary, Cookie White, corresponding secretary, Jane Carbone, extension officer and Judy Bartel, treasurer.

Immediately following the dinner hour, Jane Carbone and Anastasia Elieff received their exemplar rituals. Charms were distributed by Cookie White, the retiring president, to past officers and members. A perfect attendance charm went to Judy Bartel, a sweetheart charm to Miss Elieff and scrapbook was awarded to Mrs. Davis. A collection as taken for the Statue of Liberty renovation fund and it was announced the next meeting is set for June 11 in the home of Mrs. Davis.

and formulated plans for a picnic and walk through the prairie grass site at Gordon Moore Park.

The park is near Alton State Hospital and the group is to meet at 5 p.m. on the south side of Highway 111 and 140. Mark Hall leader of the restoration project will lead the members through the park on a special tour beginning at 6 p.m., it was announced.

Dr. Richard Keating of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, was the guest speaker for the session and spoke on the topic, "Why Some Natural Areas."

Refreshments were served by Yvonne Lipchik to members from Caseyville, Collinsville, Edwardsville, Belleville and Granite City. The public is invited to attend the meetings and the picnic. Anyone interested is advised to call 931-1352 for additional information.

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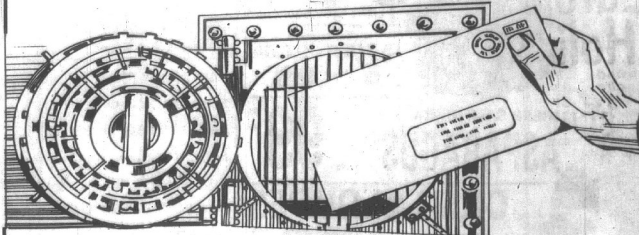
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Church Activities

First Assembly of God Church to celebrate 65th anniversary

First Assembly of God Church, 24th Street and Grand Avenue, will celebrate its 65th anniversary with various activities and worship services throughout the month of June, to bring honored members and guests to Granite City to share with local congregation many memorable events.

Among the participants will be the only three charter members today, Roy and Mary Meredith of 2322 Winter Drive, and Mrs. Grace Burns, 2416 Anchorage, and the first minister, the Rev. Carl M. O'Guin, now retired, who resides in Granite City.

On Sunday former Granite City residents, the Rev. and Mrs. Richard Dortch will be the guest speakers. The church is "home" for the Dortch families that still reside locally.

Rev. Dortch currently is the corporate executive director and senior vice president of the PTL Network in Charlotte, N.C.

This service will be the occasion for the ceremonial burning of the mortgage. Special efforts were made over the last three months by the members and friends of the church to pay off the mortgage on all buildings owned by the congregation. This has been accomplished while at the same time the Missions and Evangelism annual budget has

now reached nearly \$50,000, according to the Rev. C. Dale Edwards, host pastor.

A newly formed Saints Alive Choir, a senior citizen choir, will perform "He's My Father" at 6:30 p.m. Sunday. Directed by Mrs. Becky Baker, the choir was organized in January and they will present solos, skits and music on Christian living.

June 10 is celebrated in all churches as Pentecost Sunday, however, but it will have special meaning to First Assembly as the founding pastor, the Rev. C. M. O'Guin will speak at the 10:30 a.m. service.

Rev. O'Guin recalls the church beginning in a "store front" building on Illinois Avenue in West Granite before moving to an abandoned saloon at 19th and Benton streets. The property at 24th Street and Grand Avenue was purchased and dedicated in 1921.

In the spring of 1912, a small group of four people met in a home in West Granite for a prayer and worship service, and at that time the First Assembly of God Church was founded. With Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cherry, Mrs. Schneider and Mrs. Hill the church was born and grew to eight including Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hagler, and continued to grow.

By 1913, the time came to secure

more adequate accommodations, and an abandoned school building on West Twentieth Street became the group's first house of worship. Then in 1916 the small assembly rented an old store building on 20th Street and Illinois Avenue as a better location, situated in the hub of the city and on higher ground, an important factor in view of the annual levee hazard.

Later a second store building in the same block, but with larger capacity, served as the third house of worship.

These were difficult years as the group was subjected to many adverse conditions as the "new religion" was generally most unpopular. A special kind of faith and tenacity of spirit was needed to be numbered among the few. Yet in spite of the almost overwhelming opposition, attendance increased steadily.

Almost seven years from the day of the first cottage prayer meeting, the persevering little assembly elected their first pastor, the Rev. Carl O'Guin, in June of 1919. A charter was drawn in April of the following year creating the First Assembly of God Church in this area with a total membership of 28.

Under the leadership of Rev. O'Guin the new church growth was accelerated. The chief problem now seemed to be finding a building large enough to accommodate the crowds.

From 20th Street and Illinois Avenue, the members moved to the old saloon building on 19th and Benton streets until the wooden tabernacle was raised on the present site in April 1921. The days of the wooden tabernacle and the sawdust trail shall ever be remembered. The new brick tabernacle was erected in 1924, a structure which served well for 37 years.

Then, under the direction of Pastor Paul Evans ministry, the new sanctuary was built and plans were made for the building of an educational annex on the site of the "old tabernacle."

Rev. and Mrs. Evans moved to Fresno, Calif., to assume the duties of minister at the Full Gospel Tabernacle in that city.

At this time the Rev. and Mrs. J. Boyd Wolverton came to the local church, December 1963, and during the last 14 months of their ministry the plans were developed and the date was set for the last service in the old sanctuary and the beginning

of the new construction on March 8, 1965.

Historical records show that from the church at 24th Street and Grand Avenue many other Assembly of God Churches were started and since its beginning more than 100 individuals from the church have gone into full time Christian ministry.

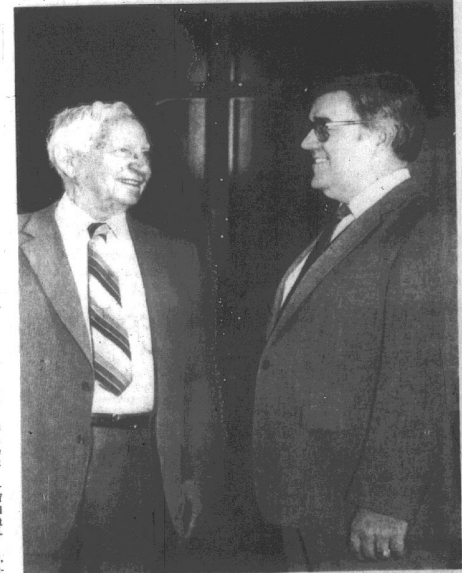
Other ministers who served the church, in order of their service, were the Rev. E. H. Chamberlain who followed Rev. O'Guin; Rev. Thomas F. Zimmer who is currently general superintendent of Assemblies of God, International Headquarters in Springfield, Mo., and elected leader of the over 10 million members of the Assemblies of God; the Rev. Wallace G. Ross; Rev. Kermit Jeffrey; Rev. Stephen Vandemere; Rev. Hillard G. Griffin; Rev. Roscoe Russell; Rev. James C. Kofahl; Rev. Evans; Rev. Woverton; Rev. Alan Groff, and Rev. Edwards, who will celebrate his 10th year at the church on June 10.

On June 17, the church members will hear the ministry of Rev. C. M. Ward at the 6:30 p.m. service. Rev. Ward served as the national revitalize radio speaker for the Assemblies of God denomination for 25 years.

Then on June 27, the church choir will present a musical entitled, "America-The Dream" on the Madison Avenue parking lot in front of the outdoor balcony.

"It is our purpose that the month-long celebration will be a time of recalling happy memories and will also be an impetus for the work that is yet to be accomplished," Rev. Edwards said.

The anniversary committee, responsible for planning the activities, includes Wilson and Frieda Andrews, Ruby Arnette, Bill and Bonita Down, Roland and Nellie Harshbarger, Esther Mercer, Roy and Mary Meredith, Delores Clonko, Olyn and Vivian Phillips and Mick Strange.



PAST AND PRESENT. The Rev. Carl O'Guin, the first pastor of the first Assembly of God Church, and the Rev. C. Dale Edwards, the present minister, discuss plans for the 65th anniversary of the church to begin Sunday.

(Press-Record Photo by Patrick Foley)

Grace Baptist Church

Bond burning service at Grace Baptist Church

This Sunday will mark a historical event at Grace Baptist Church, 2600 Edwards St., as the members celebrate their new debt free facility with a bond burning service.

NOAH'S ARK OFFERS DAYCARE SERVICES

Noah's Ark Daycare Center, 2300 Pontoon Road, at St. Elizabeth's Church, will be offering "summer sitting service." Parents may call the morning for the service.

The fee will be \$1.50 per hour for one child and \$2.25 an hour for two children. "We are offering this service because of the need our parishioners are expressing with school being out, and because of the big response from our Christmas sitting service. Keep us in mind and call 977-6955 if you need any further information," Kathy Simpson, director of Noah's Ark Daycare, said.

The theme of the event will be "Victory Day," and goals have been determined for the Sunday School, and in the area of giving. Services will begin at 9:30 a.m. with Sunday School, and the morning worship and bond burning ceremony will take place at 10:45 a.m.

Members will then gather in the fellowship hall at 1 p.m. for a basket dinner, and the day's festivities will conclude with an afternoon service from 2 to 3:30 p.m. which will feature various soloists and groups of the church.

The pastor of the church, Dr. Bob Jones, and its members, invite the public to witness and share in this memorable occasion.

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Engagements

Johnson-Mindrup

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Johnson, Route Two, Edwardsville, formerly of Granite City, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Amina Lynn Johnson to Ronald Vernon Mindrup, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Mindrup, Route Two, Alhambra.

The engagement was announced at the Mindrup home, during a birthday gathering for the prospective groom.

Miss Johnson is a graduate of Edwardsville High School, class of 1983, and is currently employed at Hampton Nursing Care, Alhambra. She will be attending Jewish Hospital School of Nursing, St. Louis, in the fall.

Her fiancé is a 1978 graduate of Highland High School, and is employed at Paramount Farms, Inc.

A June 1985 wedding is being planned.



Amina Johnson and Ronald Mindrup

Malherek-Bickel

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Malherek, 1308 Robin St., Venice, are announcing the engagement of their daughter Miss Carolyn Marie Malherek to Gustave Bickel of Prairie Village, Kan.

The prospective groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Bickel of Prairie Village.

Miss Malherek graduated in 1978 from Venice High School and is employed at Revco Drug Store, Kansas City, Mo.

Her fiancé was graduated in 1977 from Shawnee Mission East in Prairie Village, and is employed at Revco Drug Store, Overland Park, Kan.

The engaged couple plan to be married on Nov. 24th, at St. Mark's Catholic Church, Venice.



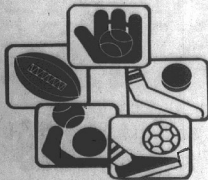
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Charlton-Totsch

Christ Church Cathedral, the Episcopal Cathedral in St. Louis, was the setting for the marriage of Elaine Totsch and David Charlton on Saturday, May 5, at 2 p.m.

The Very Rev. J. C. Michael Allen, Dean of the Cathedral, was the celebrant of the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Marie Totsch of Flat River, Mo., and the late James W. Totsch, and the groom is the son of Mrs. Mary Charlton, Granite City, and the late Gordon Charlton.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Cecil Totsch, of Jacksonville, Ark.

Matron of honor was Sandra Browder and the bridesmaid was Judith Loeffel, both of St. Louis.

James Charlton, brother of the groom, from Plano, Texas, was best man and Archie Parrish of Farmington, Mo., was groomsmen.

The candle lighters and torch bearers were Angel Parrish and Melanie Woolsey, The Crucifer was Robert Schleppman and the Chalice Bearer was Priscilla Allen. Wedding prayers were read by Helen Schleppman.

Gordon "Skip" Lloyd and Bill Flynn served as ushers. Organ music was by Pat Partridge, director of music at Christ Church Cathedral.

Susan Browder presided at the guest book and Alice Totsch and Carolyn Woolsey were servers at the reception which followed the ceremony.

"The couple, after honeymooning in the Smokies, are residing in St. Louis.

Old Six Mile Society to meet Monday night

The Old Six Mile Historical Society will meet Monday, June 4, at 7:30 p.m. at St. John United Church of Christ, 2801 N. Main St., St. Louis.

Speakers and topics will include, "The Old Country Schools," and research on schools to continue with, "Kinderhook" by Waldo Frohardt, "Central" by Wilbert Engleke, "The Bend" by Marie Hoeckstra, St. John's Parochial" by Georgia Engleke and "Mitchell and Franklin" by Marguerite Lexow.

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CHURCH PICNIC

Court of Honor held for Scout Troop 46

A Court of Honor was conducted for members of Scout Troop 46 with the Eagle Patrol giving the opening ceremony. Prayer was offered by Sandy Smith and the welcoming address was by Bob Hinson.

Kirk Meador introduced guests and Jeff Isenburgh welcomed new scouts, Jimmy Matheny and Doug Huskey Jr., the latter as assistant scoutmaster.

Recognition of advancements by Andy Smith and Mark Hinson honored, Chris Richeson as scout; Jason Buettner, Eric Ponder and Tommy Moss, tenderfoot; Carl Reed, second class; Mark Hinson, Allen Williams and Barry Sammons, first class; Steven Smith, star; Stephen Lane and Joe Basarich, life.

Merit badges went to, Brad Choat, camping; Steven Smith, Mark Hinson and Joe Basarich, citizenship in community; Stephen Lane, citizenship in nation; Allen Williams, Barry Sammons, Doug Rogers, Chris Richeson, Reed, Mark Hinson, Steve Fourcalt, First Aid; Steven Smith, home repair; Stephen Lane and Eric Stone, pets; Steven Smith, wood carving.

Skill award recipients included, Allen Williams, cooking, community communications, camping, community

living, personal fitness environment; Steven Smith, communication, community living; Brad Choat, communication, conservation; Tom Miner, communications, environmental; Eric Stone, environmental; Barry Sammons, camping, environmental; Mark Hinson, camping; Jeff Thomas, environmental communications; Carl Reed, hiking, environmental conservation, community living, family living, physical fitness; Eric Ponder, citizenship, family living, communications; Doug Rogers, community living communications; Mike Weber, swimming, First Aid; Jason Buettner, swimming; Steve Fourcalt, cooking.

Year pins were awarded to Joe Basarich, David Lane, Jeff Isenburgh and Roger Basarich, four years; Brad Choat, Greg Koberna, Stephen Lane, Andy Smith, Chris Vanover, John Harper, two years; Steve Fourcalt, Mark Hinson, Tom Moss, Kevin Mueller, Eric Ponder, Doug Rogers, Barry Sammons, Steven Smith, Eric Stone, Jeff Thomas, Allen Williams, Bob Hinson and Larry Thomas, one year.

The closing ceremony was presented by the Pedro Patrol.

New Salem Baptist plans weekend events

An organizational meeting for the New Salem Health Unit will be held Saturday, June 2, at 3 p.m. at New Salem Baptist Church, 1349 Klein St., Venice, and an "Evening of Fashion and Music" is scheduled for Sunday evening, the Rev. John Henry Williams, announces.

The meetings is set to establish a

certified emergency medical training program for the church and surrounding churches in the Madison and Venice area. This first session is important to the members and other participants to schedule regular training time in order to reach most members. Rev. Williams explained.

"Since we live in a time of heart attacks, stabblings, shootings, drug abuse, car accidents, poisoning and playground injuries, the Health Unit will be trained to handle these situations in and out of the church," the pastor added.

For further information those interested are requested to call 452-3157.

On Sunday beginning at 5 o'clock in the afternoon an Evening of Fashion and Music will be held under the direction of Emma Williams, chairman, and Alberta Bule, co-chairman, in the church hall. This event also is open to the public with an admittance fee of \$2 per person. Prizes will also be awarded during the affair.

SWIM CLASSES AT YMCA START ON JUNE 4

The Tri-City Area YMCA will begin the summer swim session June 4. The new schedule includes several pool changes. The YMCA will offer swim classes Monday thru Thursday mornings and evenings. Friday mornings will include a senior citizen exercise class at 9 a.m. Swim classes are offered to individuals of all ages.

Non-members as well as members can register for swim lessons.

The pool also is available for rental to any organization. Schedules and further information are available by calling the YMCA at 876-7200.



KNOCK BROTHERS

Sacred music concert at Trinity Methodist

The Knock-Abouts, a group of three young men, will present a sacred music concert at 7 p.m. Sunday, June 3, at Trinity United Methodist Church, 25th and Henry streets.

The program consists of a variety of sacred and gospel music, some old and some new, brought in their own unique style. Their light close harmony and lively manner is further enhanced by the enjoyable volume at which the concert is presented.

There is no admittance but a free will offering will be collected and the public is invited according to the host minister.

Jehovah Witnesses set St. Louis convention

The Watchtower Bible and Tract Society of New York has revealed completion of plans for a series of 119 district conventions of Jehovah's Witnesses during the summer of 1984.

Stanley Weigel, official spokesman, said 65 separate sites will be utilized for the annual meetings. A total of more than 1,150,000 persons are expected to attend the conventions in the United States.

Many delegates from this area will be attending various conventions in the United States. One of the 65 cities selected is St. Louis where the Arena will host delegates June 14-17.

The theme for the 1984 conventions is "Kingdom Increase" and much of the program content will center on the growth of the religious movement in recent years. Weigel said "Jehovah's Witnesses are marking a centennial this year," one delegate said. "The movement started one hundred years ago with a handful of Bible students and today is conducting ministerial and preaching activity in 265 lands with 2,600,000 now associated worldwide," he added.

He noted the convention scheduled this year at the Arena has a projected attendance of 14,000 persons.

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Other Area Colleges

JOE DERUNTZ of 2145 State St., has been initiated as a member of the University of Missouri-Rolla chapter of Chi Epsilon, a national civil engineering honor fraternity.

BRIDGET HILL, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Robert Hill of 3165 Myrtle Ave., graduated magna cum laude from St. Louis University. She received a bachelor of science degree in meteorology.

JOHN MENENDEZ, of 3621 Willow Ave., has been initiated in the Western Illinois University chapter of Phi Eta Sigma national. Menendez is a freshman finance major at the school. Students were selected on the basis of scholastic achievement.

RENE LYNN MAYBERRY, daughter of Gerald and Shirley Mayberry of Granite City, received a bachelor of arts degree in speech communications from Southwest Baptist University. She was a member of the Student Government Association, Students in Free Enterprise and was the senior class representative. She also was active in theater productions and the university debate team.

MICHAEL W. TANKSLEY received a bachelor of science degree from the University of Notre Dame on May 20. He will enter Medical School at Ohio State University this fall. Tanksley, a former Granite City resident, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Tanksley of Canfield, Ohio. He is the grandson of Mrs. Fern Hahn of Granite City. Mrs. Hahn, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Hahn and Stacie and Philip Hahn, all of Granite City, attended the graduation ceremonies at Notre Dame.

WALTER BRENDAN FENTON, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Fenton of Granite City, has been named to appear in the 1984 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges," by the staff of Greenville College. Students are selected for this publication on the basis of their academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extra-curricular activities and potential for continued success.

JOY WILLIAMS, daughter of Martha Williams of 2538 Grand Ave., has been initiated into the Morningside College Chapter of Mu Phi Epsilon, a national music fraternity for women. To be eligible for membership, students must have completed one semester of coursework with a cumulative grade point average of 2.75 and have a 3.0 grade point average in music.

VICTORIA M. SZYMCEK, of 2539 Grand Ave., has been named to the dean's list at Illinois State University for her academic achievements during the spring semester. Miss Szymcek received straight A's for the semester.

RANDY J. SCHRENK, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Schrenk of 108 Troeckler Lane, Mitchell, received a bachelor of science degree in mathematics and computer major coordinated with mathematics from Trinity College, Hartford, Conn.

TWELVE GRANITE CITY RESIDENTS attending St. Louis University received degrees at the school's 160th commencement. Among graduates were: Catherine Maria Kennack of 2541 E. 27th St., who received a bachelor of science degree in medical record administration and graduated magna cum laude; Mary Elizabeth Hamilton of 2427a Edison Ave., who received a bachelor of science in nursing; and Allen H. Collins of 3320 Harvard Place, Brian E. Konzen, 3302 Princeton Dr., Renee Ellen Schooley of 2240 Clinton Drive, and Michelle Lynne Sieveking of 2216 Iowa St., who each received a juris doctor in law; Kathleen Ann Wilson of 3223 Willow Ave., who received a bachelor of science in business administration and graduated cum laude; Catherine Gaudier of 2569a Grand Ave., who received a bachelor of liberal studies degree in organizational administration; Mark Allen Hawkins of 2600 Angela Drive, who received a bachelor of science degree in biology and graduated cum laude; John Scott Manogian of 6 Country Lane Court, who received a bachelor of arts degree in theatre arts and graduated cum laude; Michelle L. Reznack of 2541 E. 27th St., who received a bachelor of arts degree in chemistry; and Danilo Gonzalez of 13 Terrace Lane, who received a bachelor of arts degree in psychology.

Belleville Area College

THE BELLEVILLE AREA COLLEGE Financial Aid and Placement Office has scheduled evening hours for those who need to talk to a financial aid advisor and cannot visit campus during the day. The office will be open until 8 p.m. Wednesday, May 30, Monday, June 4 and Thursday, June 7.

The office's regular hours are 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Mondays through Fridays. The office is at the main campus, 2500 Carlyle Road, Belleville Area College. Students may register from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday and from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Friday in the Registrar's Office, room 2306, at the main campus, 2500 Carlyle Road, Belleville. There will be no registration Independence Day, July 4. Registration will continue through Wednesday, Aug. 22. Classes begin Saturday, Aug. 25.

BAC TALK, THE STUDENT NEWSPAPER at Belleville Area College, has tuition-reduction scholarships for the 1984-85 school year available. Students who display an interest and talent for writing, photography or graphics are encouraged to apply for the scholarship, said Gerald Taylor, BAC Talk faculty advisor.

The scholarships reduce tuition from \$23 per credit hour to \$2 per credit hour. Recipients are required to take a position of leadership on the college newspaper, but do not have to pursue English or journalism as a career choice. Interested students may contact Valerie Thaxton or Taylor, 1-235-2700.



DENTAL SCREENING HELD AT HEADSTART. James Garrett gets her teeth checked by Richard Bossmann of Granite City and Shannon Cummins of Springfield, students at the Southern Illinois University School of Dental Medicine, during screening at the Headstart Center in East St. Louis recently. The screenings are conducted as a service to the community, while giving the dental students additional experience and training in the field. (SIUE Photo)

'Fullerworld' to be at SIUE this week

A memorial exhibition of maps, drawings, and sculptural objects, entitled "The World of R. Buckminster Fuller," will be shown in the University Art Gallery at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville from June 4 through July 11.

R. Buckminster "Bucky" Fuller (1895-1983) has been described as an engineer, architect, mathematician, inventor, poet, philosopher, global citizen and crackpot. He spent the last 45 years of his life collecting data on his beloved "Spaceship Earth," on its resources and the rate at which they were being exhausted. Pollution and recycling were major concerns for him long before they became fashionable. He was working on ways to harness energy from the sun, wind and sea for use in place of fossil fuels in the 1940s, while the rest of the world operated on the assumption of an inexhaustible supply of these materials.

THE "ENERGY CRISIS" of the seventies came as no surprise to Fuller. Other matters of interest to him were overpopulation and shelter, which led to his most famous invention, the geodesic dome. Several important domes are in this area, including the Climatron of the Missouri Botanical Garden and the Religious Center at SIUE. Beneath such domes, complete control of the environment was possible; since domes were theoretically unlimited in size, they could comprehend private residences or entire cities. He advanced a plan to enclose East St. Louis under a dome.

FULLER WAS Research Professor of Design Science Exploration at SIUE from 1959 through 1973, and Professor Emeritus until his death.

Among the items to be displayed are two major series, carrying the generic titles "Tensigrity" and "Jitterbug." The "Tensigrity" series began as a six-part object with aluminum struts arranged with the support of back dacron tendons into

three pairs of parallel struts, forming both octagonal and triangular symmetries. This evolved into a 90-strut tensigrity—a structure both strong and rigid presenting the viewer with 20 faces.

"Jitterbug" is a kinetic sculpture, which began as a single cell unit of eight brush aluminum triangles, joined at their vertices by stainless steel joints. The tension created by the top and bottom triangles allows the others to move, expand or contract—creating fresh patterns and

shapes. There is a complex of "Jitterbugs," also kinetic, made up of 11 single-cell units with similar capabilities for motion and shapes.

FULLER, KNOWN AS "BUCKY" to several generations of admirers and disciples, gained a reputation as a guiding genius of this century. One of his close friends, associates and collaborators, Professor James Fitzgibbon, will give a gallery talk highlighting works in the exhibit and other marks of his achievements. Fitzgibbon is a former dean of the

Washington University School of Architecture.

His lecture will be given at 8 p.m., June 4, in the University Gallery, as part of the Opening Reception at 7:30 p.m.

The lecture and exhibition are free and the public is invited to attend. Gallery hours are from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Mondays through Fridays. The show is presented by the SIUE Office of University Museums and is partially sponsored by a grant from the Illinois Arts Council, a state agency.

Commencement set for June 8 at SIUE

Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville will confer approximately 2,000 undergraduate, graduate, specialist, and doctoral degrees at commencement exercises, June 8.

Open air commencement activities are scheduled in the mail area between the Peck Classroom and Rendleman Buildings. A concert by the Symphonic Band will officially open the exercises, beginning at 6:30 p.m. Graduation exercises will immediately follow.

EARL LAZERSON, president of the university, will give the welcoming address and confer the degrees. The commencement address will be delivered by Dr. Walter J. Ong, S.J., professor of humanities at St. Louis University School of Medicine.

During the ceremonies, Dr. Ong will be presented with the honorary degree of Doctor of Humane Letters. An editor, lecturer, author, researcher and critic of international reputation, Dr. Ong has devoted his life to the study and teaching of English and the humanities.

Three distinguished service awards will be presented at commencement. Named to receive awards are two former executives of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, G. Duncan Bateman and George A. Killenback.

ALSO TO BE honored is Martha R. O'Malley, regional superintendent of schools for St. Clair County. Mrs. O'Malley is being recognized for nearly 20 years of educational

service to the area.

Other awards to be bestowed during commencement activities include the Great Teacher Award, Alumnus of the Year Award, and Teaching Excellence Awards.

In the event of inclement weather, the starting time will be the same, but commencement exercises will be decentralized, with ceremonies occurring at several indoor locations.

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When a person suffers a personal injury, the party at fault will normally insist upon the injured person signing a release at the time money is paid. Recently, a young man was hit by a car on a restaurant parking lot. He suffered torn cartilage in his knee. When he returned from surgery, a representative of the insurance company for the driver was waiting in the hospital room.

The insurance representative offered the man \$3,000 to settle the case and asked him to sign a release. At that time, his father walked in and suggested he first contact an attorney. This case was later settled for substantially more money. It is important to note, however, that if the victim had signed the release this would have forever discharged the party at fault from any future liability.

What most people do not realize is that if one responsible party is released, this serves to discharge all other individuals who may also be liable for the accident. In a 1979 case, a driver of a vehicle was rear-ended by another driver. A policeman appeared at the scene, and he dispatched a tow truck. While the tow truck was hooking up the injured driver's car, a third vehicle

ran into the tow truck and pinned the injured man between the tow truck and his car.

The victim in this case sustained separate injuries in each accident. In the second accident he suffered spinal cord injuries and died five weeks later. The wife of the deceased brought a wrongful death action against all the responsible parties with the exception of the second driver who collided with the tow truck. She settled directly with him for \$10,000, and then proceeded to sue the city where this occurred, the tow truck operator and the first driver.

All the defendants attempted to have the case against them dismissed based on the contention that the widow had signed a release with the other defendant which in turn would serve to release them of all liability. The widow argued that she signed a covenant not to sue rather than a release. A covenant not to sue is a contract which promises that one party will be exempt from a lawsuit. It does not serve to release all other defendants, as in the case of a release. The Court agreed with the widow here, and allowed her to pursue her claims against the other defendants.

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Latisha Green and *Kenneth Griggs. Gerald Gushoff, Melissa Hahn, Angela Harper, Anita Harper, Chruystal Harrell, Nicole Howard, VonDarvin Howze, Nicole Hughes, Clint Hummel and Neil Huniak.

Nicole Jacks, Vondria Jefferson, Joe Johnson, Joyce Jones, Michael Jones, Greg Kayich, Eric Kelms, Charlotte Kullum, Cathy Laurk and Tina Lindsey.

Charles Loving, Kelly Madison, *Sharlette McDonald, April McFarland, Sheri McFarn, Alfonso McHenry, Sandra McNeely, Theresa Medlock, Bruce Miller and Christie Milton.

Lisa Moorehead, Shelice Morgan, Howard Murray, Charlotte Nelson, Clyde Perkins, *Robert Pickett, Betty Posten, Lamont Prothro, Craig Reedy and Carla Reynolds.

Gina Rhodes, Devin Rockett, Erika Rockett, Bea Rogers, Wendy Rutherford, Geneva Sanders, Steven Sanders, Joseph Schalk, Michael Schank and Howard Schoellman.

Kenneth Seidon, Donald Shipp, Michael Slaton, Chelsea, Kim Smith, Adrienne Soles, Charles, Starnes, Gregory Terrell, Eric Throne and DeAnn Toenges.

Edith Trebling, Alfred Turner, *Vincent Valentine, Robert Varady, Aracel Vauters, James Vauter, Felicia Watt, Sharon Wells, *Clarence Williams and Eve Williams.

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workshop set**

The Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs (DCCA) and the Small Business Development Center of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville will co-sponsor a Small Business Energy Assistance workshop Monday, June 4.

The workshop will be from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Collinsville Hilton.

The purpose of the meeting is to assist small businesses in implementing energy-conservation measures. There are two components to the program — technical assistance and energy-improvement loan assistance.

The program, which includes lunch, is \$25 for the first registrant and \$20 for each additional person from the same company. To register, interested persons may call DCCA's toll-free number, 1-800-252-2923 or the development center, 1-692-2929.

The activities of the Southwest Illinois Small Business Development Center are funded in part by the Small Business Administration, DCCA, Belleville Area College, Kaskaskia College, Lewis and Clark Community College, State Community College and Southern Illinois University of Edwardsville.

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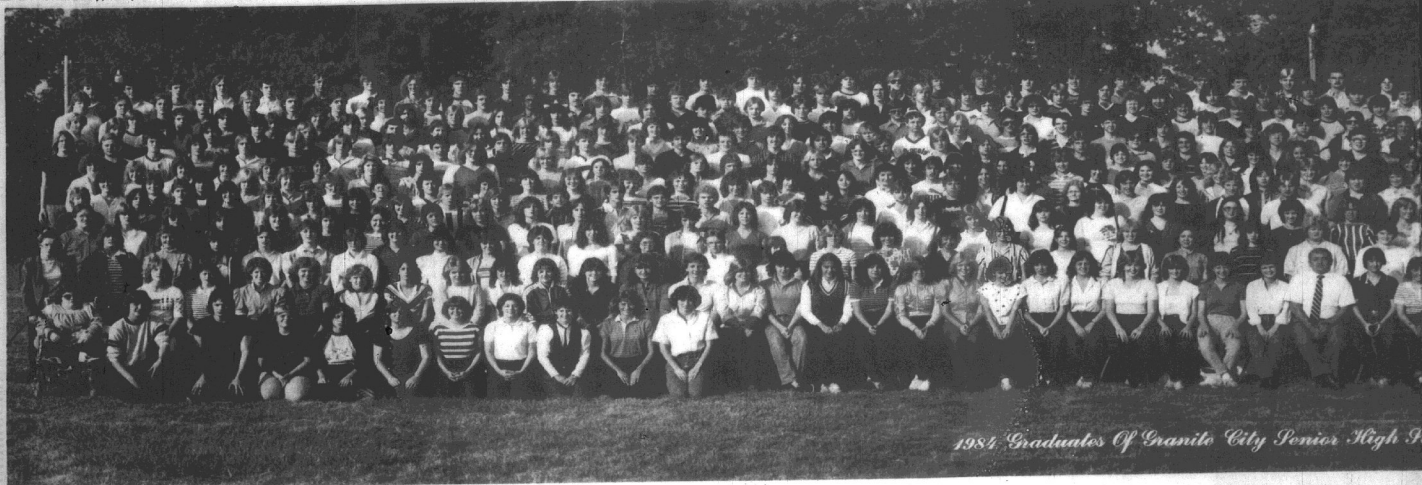
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GC man takes top honors in essay contest for seniors

A Granite Cityan won top honors in the "Memories of Southern Illinois" essay contest for area residents 60 or older, conducted by Southern Illinois Arts (formerly Community and Educational Arts Association).

Jean Shisler, director, said that 431 entries were received, representing every county in the area. In addition to the \$300 in regional prize money, more than \$1,000 will be

awarded by local contest sponsors to 105 local area winners. The Illinois Humanities Council provided partial support for the contest.

Essayists gave accounts of life in Southern Illinois from summer concerts and the first automobiles to tornadoes and nine disasters. Some of the essays will be printed in area newspapers and periodicals. There were 19 regional winners in the final.

The local winner was Zene D. Gergen, Granite City, who won \$75 for his essay, "Political Campaign In A Southern Illinois County Seat."

TEN WINDOWS BROKEN

Willie Hlavka, owner of Hlava Auto Body, 108 Madison Ave., Venice, told police last week that someone broke 10 windows in his garage sometime that evening. Police are investigating the incident.

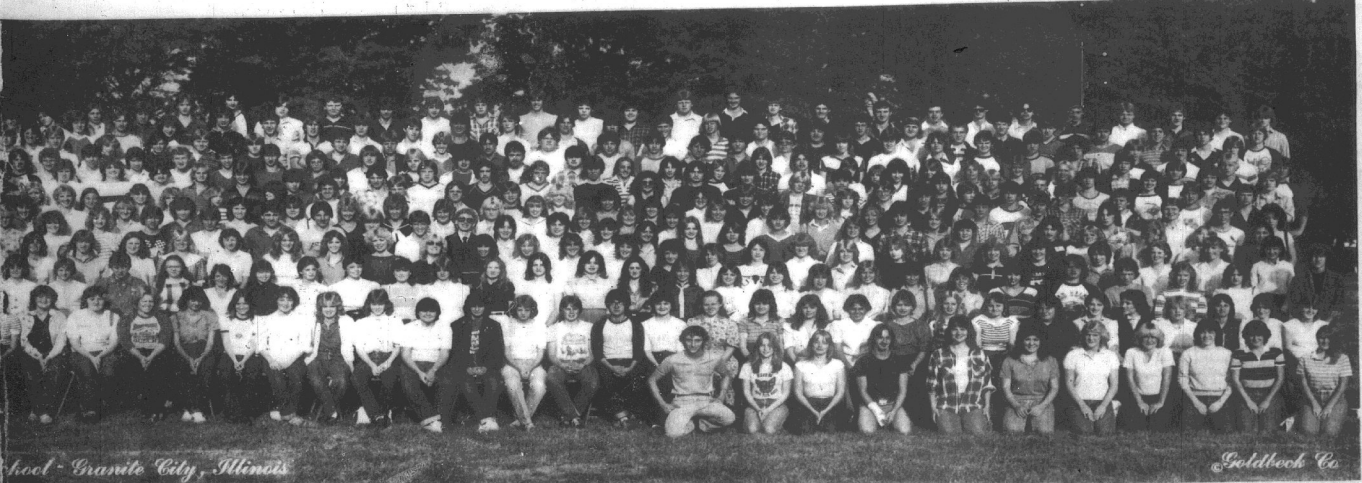
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National Honor Society honors graduates

Graduating seniors who have been members of the Granite City High School chapter of National Honor Society were honored at the club's annual banquet in the school's cafeteria this month.

Guest speaker for the event was Associate Judge Thomas Hildebrandt, an alumnus of GCHS. Hildebrandt spoke informally about setting goals and working toward achieving them. He noted that members of the National Honor Society already have proven that they are achievers and challenged them to set their goals high and not get discouraged by setbacks.

Principal Gilbert Walmsley praised the honor society students, noting that not only do they make good grades, but that they are among the most active students in the school in other activities.

Officers for their help throughout the year and said he had been proud to be the sponsor of the club over the past years.

Graduating Seniors honored were Thomas Adamitis, Raben Andrews, Lori Bates, Michelle Bezan, Sharon Blankenship, Daria Bolt, Connie Borrer, Sonia Bristol, Dana Churuvich and C. Denise Cooper.

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Junior members advancing to seniors for next year are Lisa Adams, David Aerne, Laura Andrews, David Baggett, Paul Berry, Dawn Bieniecki, David Birkhead, Elizabeth Bodman, Stephen Branding, Dawn Brock and Randall Burgess.

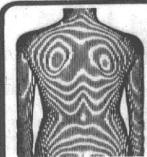
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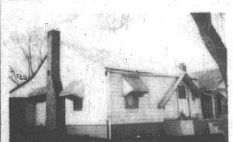
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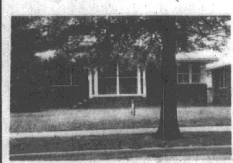
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AT ATTENTION, the Tappanoe Ancient Fife and Drum Corps will be performing at the 15th annual Fort de Chartres Rendezvous Saturday and Sunday. Other groups performing are the 42nd Royal Highlanders Band of Music, Colonial Fife and Drum Corps and the LaGuigne Singers. Activities include a flintlock shoot, military exercises, craft demonstrations, cannon firing, fashion show, oxen-drawn cart rides and puppet shows. Additional information appears in today's Upcoming Events box.

3-day national earthquake conference starts Sunday

A national earthquake conference will be conducted in St. Louis, starting Sunday, June 2, through June 5, according to the Illinois Emergency Services and Disaster Agency (IESDA).

"A catastrophic earthquake poses perhaps the greatest natural hazard faced by the Nation," IESDA Director Eric Jones.

"Dollar losses in one such earthquake alone could total tens of billions of dollars and fatalities and injuries could be in the tens of thousands," he said.

The conference will provide a forum among local, state, private, voluntary, academic and federal sectors to discuss a national earthquake hazards reduction effort.

The goal is to develop a consensus regarding strategies that can be

realistically implemented, Jones explained.

Three aspects of earthquake preparedness—medical services, lifelines and the role of the private sector—will serve as the conference's primary focus.

Keynote speakers will make presentations on each subject, followed by interactive workshops and panel discussions.

The conference is sponsored by the Central United States Earthquake Consortium (CUSEC) and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

CUSEC is a not-for-profit organization, composed of state emergency services directors for the seven states surrounding the New Madrid fault zone.

The seven states are Arkansas, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Mississippi,

Missouri and Tennessee.

The conference will take place at the Breckenridge Concourse Hotel, located just east of Lambert-St. Louis International Airport on Interstate 70.

Principal speakers will include: Dr. Otto Nuttall of St. Louis University; Le Val Lund, chief engineer of the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power.

Dr. Richard Moy, dean of Southern Illinois University School of Medicine; and Jon Scott of the Federal Reserve Bank.

An Interagency Federal Panel, consisting of FEMA, National Science Foundation, U.S. Geological Survey and the National Bureau of Standards, will review conclusions of the conference and discuss recommendations at 11 a.m. Tuesday, June 5.

St. Elizabeth hosts Summer Festival

St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church, 2300 Pontoon Road, has scheduled its fifth annual Summer Festival for Saturday and Sunday, June 9 and 10. The event will feature dinner, music, dancing, bingo, carnival rides and games.

Dinner specials will include barbecue and all-you-can-eat family style chicken. Both dinners will be served in the school cafeteria. Carry-outs will be available. Barbecue will be served from 3 to 7 p.m., and chicken dinners will be served from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Other refreshments served will include: Italian roast beef, sloppy joes, hot dogs, funnel cakes, beer and soda.

Popular dance music will be performed by Tony Todoroff Saturday from 7 to 11 p.m. On Sunday, The Heritage Band will play from 6 to 10 p.m.

Dancers from the Salem Dance Studio will demonstrate dancing

techniques from 1 to 2 p.m. Sunday and from 3 to 4 p.m., festival goers will be entertained by the Sharon Youth band group.

Booth prizes at the festival include

GC Park ID cards available Saturday

The Granite City Park District will hold the first of three special sessions for making identification cards for district residents on Saturday, June 2.

Photos for the cards will be taken at the Wilson Park office from 9:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. Saturday. The cost is \$1 per person and the card is valid for three years.

Only persons who bring proof of residency, such as a current utility bill, rent receipt, medical card, etc., will be able to purchase a card. District officials stress.

The ID card enables residents to discount rates at the Wilson Park

cafes, craft items and chance items from local merchants.

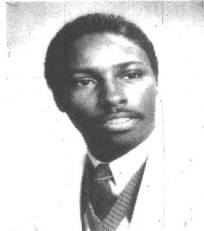
Festival hours are from 3 to 11 p.m. Saturday and from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. Sunday.

swimming pool and ice rink facility, or reserve a tennis court.

In order to purchase a season ticket for the pool, each family member is required to have an ID card in order to be included on the season pass, it was explained. IDs must be presented to pool personnel when buying season tickets.

Other dates for issuance of park IDs are Wednesday, June 6, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m., and Tuesday, July 17, from 7 p.m. until 9 p.m.

During the summer months, an ID may also be obtained from 2 p.m. until 4 p.m. on the first and third week of each month at the Wilson Park office.



EDDIE SALMOND JR.
Valedictorian



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Salutatorian



LETITIA MILLER
Class President

Venice High graduates hear Ill. Bell executive

Eddie Lee Salmond Jr., and Yulena Cassandra Bradley were honored as valedictorian and salutatorian, respectively, at commencement exercises held at Venice High School last week.

Other graduates were Theodore Adams, Patrice Bowers, Cecil Brimlage Jr., Richard Burnett, Steven Scott Crowder, Wallace Dandridge Jr., Alecia Germaine Darden, Angela Dillon, Cynthia Anne Freeman, Craig Anthony Hamilton.

Thirty seniors were accorded honors as members of the 1984 graduating class. Class President Letitia Lynn Miller offered welcoming remarks to students, parents and friends.

Graduates who are members of

the National Honor Society, include Salmond, Miss Bradley, Miss Miller, Wanda Denise Brown, Jacqueline Renee Chatman, Kimberly Ann Clark, Lonzie C. Helms, Jr., Towanda C. Matkins, and Phillip White Jr.

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Richard A. King Jr., Terrence Michael King, Carlos Maple, Timothy Jason McGehee, Larry McGhee, Sonya Denise Petty, Greg Robinson, David M. Townsend,

Reuben Thornton Jr., Tempest Maria Williams and Teresa Ann Wise.

Also serving as class officers in 1983-84 were Miss Clark, vice president, Miss Bradley, secretary and Dandridge, treasurer.

Potted flowers and plants decorated the gymnasium, which the graduates entered to the music of the processional, "Aide March" by Verdi. Mrs. Rogers Mefford served as accompanist.

Greetings were offered by Robert N. Vickers, Venice superintendent of schools, and the Rev. John Henry Williams, pastor of New Salem Baptist Church, gave the invocation and benediction.

The New Salem Youth Choir and Patricia Bowers offered musical selections.

The valedictory address was given by Salmond and Miss Bradley made the salutatory remarks. The 1984 class theme was "We Have Only Just Begun."

Venice School Board President Wilbert Glasper presented the diplomas and congratulated each graduate.

Board members also present were Mrs. Alvester Salmond, secretary, George Wade, treasurer, Matthew Meehan, Jerry Cicio, Kirk Gardener and Mrs. Patricia King.

Delegates review P.E.O. convention

Delegates Ruth Ann Bartels and Patricia Conzen with guests Betty Robertson of Chapter HT and Mrs. Eunice Witter of Chapter KU returned from the 82nd annual convention of the Illinois State P.E.O. Chapters held in Oak Brook, Ill.

There were 341 delegates representing 342 chapters in the State of Illinois, and altogether there were 600 attending the sessions, they noted.

Mrs. Patricia Lynn of Chapter BZ of Canton, Ill., presided at the business segment as a new slate of officers were elected.

Those named to serve for the forthcoming year at the state level include: Virginia Harding of Glen Ellyn, president, Charlotte Barnes of Peoria, first vice-president, Jacqueline Smith of Clinton, second vice president, Marian Lager of Payless Heights, organizer, Verla Wade, Wheaton, recording secretary, June Watson, Urbana, corresponding secretary, Ann Lawrence of Western Springs, treasurer.

The 1985 convention will be conducted at St. Ambrose College in Davenport, Iowa, it was announced.

During the weekend event Calvin Bartels and Austin Witter joined their wives for the BIL banquet featuring Bill Gleason, Chicago sports writer as guest speaker.

PUNCHES RECOVERED

After four metal punches were discovered missing from the wood working shop at Coolidge Junior High School last week, the items were recovered from the lockers of two boys, 13 and 14 years old. The pair was taken to police headquarters and transported to their homes by an office at 3:30 p.m.

Free circus tickets available in Madison

Free tickets are available at the Madison Police Department for Madison children ages 8 through 12, to attend the Shriners' Circus on Tuesday, June 5.

A bus will leave from the Madison Police Station, 1529 Third St., on the night of the event and transport the children to and from the Tri-City Speedway, where the circus is being held.

Madison police officials say five chaperones are needed to help escort the children. Tickets will be reserved on a first-come, first-served basis.

To register for tickets, interested persons may call the police station at 876-4300 or sign up in person at the police department. Registration is limited to 50 children.

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The Salvation Army Corps Community Center of Granite City

will conduct a DAY CAMP PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN AGES 6 TO 14 this summer.

The program will begin June 1 and end August 24. The cost will be \$30 per week per child, with reduced rates for additional children within a family. This cost will include a morning snack and noon lunch.

Many activities are being planned. There will be weekly trips which include trips to the zoo, Grant's Farm and the Arch. Also included weekly will be a hour swim at Wilson Park.

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